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THE WEEK IN NEWTON SPORTS

Edited by WARREN K. BRIMBLECOM

MELROSE DEFEATED

Newton high stepped off on the right foot yesterday afternoon, defeating Melrose High 3 to 1 in the opening game of the Greater Boston Hockey League, season of 1927. Newton, Melrose, and Cambridge Latin ended the race last year in a triple tie when Cambridge upset the Newton six in a final round game after the orange and black had broken even in its two games with Melrose.

Yesterday Captain Stubbs' outfit was without the services of two of its veteran star defence men, Harold Andres and John Proctor, who will probably return to the line-up next week. The forward line with Stubbs and Powers on the wings and Spain taking the place of last year's leader, Guy Holbrook who is now at Harvard, at centre ice, showed no loss of speed. Powers did some fast skating and caged two goals while Spain was responsible for the other point by sending the puck past the opposing goal-tend with a beautiful shot in the opening period.

Melrose, which lost three of its most important cogs by graduation last June, showed brilliant hockey at times, with Armstrong the outstanding player. He negotiated the visitors' only tally. The summary:

NEWTON—Stubbs, rw; Spain, c; Powers, Brown, lw; Bennett, rd; Wilkinson, ld; Thompson, g.

MELROSE—Armstrong, lw; Cushman, c; Ross, rw; Harris, ld; Keating, rd; McHugh, g.

Score—Newton 3, Melrose 1. Goals by Powers 2, Spain, Armstrong. Referee, Newman. Timer, Carling. Periods, three 12 min.

RETAIN TITLE

Malcolm T. Hill and Henry L. Johnson of Waban won the national junior indoor tennis doubles championship for the fourth successive year, a record for junior events, last Friday at Baltimore. The feat eclipses the consecutive winning record made by Vincent Richards, who held the singles title for three straight years.

Jacobs and Smith were the victims of Hill and Johnson in a four-set match. The scores were 3-6, 6-4, 6-4, 6-2. Three years ago the local pair won their first title by stepping out of their class, they were then rated in the boy's division, to take it. Since then they have played together in many other tournaments and the familiarity they showed with each other's playing counted heavily in their favor.

Johnson's service was particularly effective, nine games going to the victory on his service alone. The opponents showed flashes of brilliant play but their teamwork lacked the efficiency of the winners.

WINTER SPORTS AT BRAE-BURN

An entertaining program of winter sports was enjoyed by members of the Brae-Burn Country Club on New Year's Day. Demonstrations by members of the Norwegian-American Ski-Jumping and Soccer Football Club gave the spectators many thrills. The longest ski-jump, a distance of 54 feet and 10 inches, was made by Bing Anderson, Eastern champion.

The toboggan chute proved one of the most popular of attractions with forty-five toboggans in almost constant use throughout the day. About the same number of members of the club enjoyed the skiing. One of the "ing" was greatly enjoyed by the childest of winter sports, "tray coasting" on the hill in front of the club house and it furnished much amusement for the onlookers.

Dinner was served in the clubhouse. J. N. Eaton, chairman of the winter sports committee, and F. F. Munroe were in charge.

SPORTS NOTES

Against the alumni the Newton high school track team opened its season auspiciously. Tomorrow night the annual interclass meet will be run off and from all indications it will be a meet well worth taking in. Close competition is assured in many events. Captain Fullerton, Cole and Hammond should be the biggest point winners with the Newton leaders at the top.

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There are several other runners and field men on the track team who should aid Newton materially this winter. All in all Coaches Dickinson and Enoch should have a well-balanced aggregation when the first dual meet, that with Rindge on Jan. 22nd, comes around. This week the coaches have been smoothing out the rough spots that showed in the alumni meet. Next week and the week after, there being no meet scheduled for the 15th, time will be spent on the faults shown tomorrow night.

It is now assured that the new banks at the south end of the gymnasium will be ready for the Rindge meet. The boys under Mr. Dulac did a remarkably fine job at the north end of the hall and are fast getting the south end ready although it will not be completed for tomorrow night's meet.

Tonight at the Boston Arena amateur ice hockey will once again get in

action. The University Club team, captained by George Owen will face the Knickerbockers of New York. The former Newton high and Harvard star athletes will have two local youths as teammates during part of the game at least. Clark Hodder, another Harvard hockey player, will take his position with the forwards and Ted Learned, who starred in the net for Dartmouth after graduating from Newton, will tackle the job of turning aside the opponents' shots.

If Walter McQuistion can run this season for the Dartmouth freshmen the team will be a powerful one, for with Gallagher in the hurdles and the jumps, and Wallin in the dashes the team will be sure of a number of first places. Mac used to be able to take them all at either the "300" or the shorter indoor events, and although he has spent almost a full season away from the track he should be able to come back to his normal form shortly.

Horace "Hod" Cole of West Newton, a former Yale varsity player, will also be seen in the club line-up to-night in a defence position.

"Gyp" Lawless of West Newton, the star Boston University forward, is getting over a strained stomach and by the first of next week should be in first class physical condition. Lawless started off his third year of college hockey against M. I. T. with a bang in the season's opener even though under somewhat of a handicap. It looks as though he was in for a good year on the ice.

The final in the Middlesex Bowl championship squash tennis tournament will be played Sunday morning on the Newton Centre Club courts. The contestants will be Myles Baker, No. 1 player on the B. A. A. Squash team and Massachusetts champion, who defeated Paul Watson, Jr., of the Harvard Club Tuesday evening in his semi-final round match, and Ralph Powers, B. A. A. No. 2 player, who defeated Edward Wales, the only local player to reach the semi-finals.

The Y. M. C. A. wrestling team will endeavor to annex their first victory of the season tomorrow evening at the expense of the Lynn Y matmen at the Lynn Y. M. C. A. In its matches to date the local team has been defeated. The Boston Y gained a close victory while the Boston Y. M. C. U. shut Capt. Gus Carlson's team out. Joe Arnsdorf, two-state champion in the 147-lb. class, is yet to lose a decision this season.

The speed of the opponents' attack is noticeable when one looks at the scorebook and finds that Kohler and Wellman, the local team's most consistent scorers, tallied but nine and five points respectively. McCarthy had a good night and tossed in five baskets for ten points.

The Quincy second team defeated the Newton seconds 30 to 15. The local five got going the second half and tallied 14 of its points with Connearny and Gray making the points.

The Newton-Boston Latin hockey game scheduled for Wednesday afternoon, was postponed because of the poor ice on Bullough's pond.

COMMONWEALTH COUNTRY CLUB

The New Year's Party at the Commonwealth Country Club was largely attended by its members and their guests. Indeed, had the clubhouse been larger, more could have been accommodated. The great lounge where the dancing took place was handsomely decorated and the souvenirs for the ladies were original and unique. The music was furnished by W. Edward Boyle. Among those present were many Brookline and Newton people.

Mrs. James R. Armington and Mrs. Frank H. Chamberlain are much interested in the Matinee Auction Bridge which is to take place at the Commonwealth Country Club on the afternoon of Monday, January 10. They will be assisted by Mmes. Elisha H. Brewster, Alice T. Brookhouse, Roy F. Chamberlain, Lawrence B. Cubbison, Henry L. Mulligan and Miss Marie Bourneau. The beneficiaries will be the Fatherless Children of France.

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The local association will be represented by a volleyball team this winter. The team will be picked from members of the four teams of business men which are now engaged in a tourney. Two games with Boston have already been scheduled for Jan. 29th and Feb. 19th. The former is to be played at Newton and the other at Boston.

The Watertown Methodist Church basketball team easily defeated the Needham Congregational Church five 33 to 13 last Monday evening in a Church League game on the local Y court. Thirlow, left forward of the winners, tossed in eleven baskets from the floor for 22 points. The victory put the Watertown team into a second place tie with the Elliot team and knocked the Needham five from second place to fourth. It was Needham's first defeat.

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ONE THING AND ANOTHER

Written by LEVERETT D. G. BENTLEY

Although seven days of the new year will be to keep a diary for 1929 and I trust I will make good.

Now that the city government for the current year has been organized and made what might be called a running start, we may sit back and watch just how things turn out. The Mayor has presented his annual address, together with recommendations. They are always of such a character that no one wants to miss reading them.

I am wondering just how the members of the Board of Aldermen regard the Mayor's plans. One of the functions of the board, as I see it, is to keep the Mayor from doing too many things which involve the expenditure of money. In consequence they serve as skidding-chains so that the Mayoral chariot or limousine may not slip or slide.

Well, at any rate we as a municipality are underway. The main question is where will the road take us? Here's hoping for a smooth and pleasant journey.

The merry yuletide, fast slipping by, is still an excuse for personal references and for that reason I am going to put in this column two of the several New Year's letters that have come to me. The first:

Dear Lev.—
How about wishing you a Happy New Year is it all right and will it get you anything with the boss if he sees that you have a constant reader in yours truly. I hope it will. One thing I would like to see it get you is a well-earned vacation as the papers say when a rich man goes to Florida and has to have some kind of an excuse for spending the money on himself. Maybe after the boss reads this he will send you to Florida. If he does I wish you another happy New Year, Lev, and all that goes with it. I see you had a swell time in New

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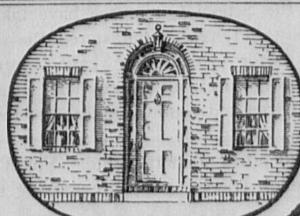
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York, well, I don't blame you and wishing you no harm I am glad to see you get away with it because it is encouraging to those who have been trying to pull off something like that for a long time and don't seem to have any luck the same as you judging from the little I read about heated taxis and Salvation Army bands in New York City which you so well described. You must have been around a good deal while you was in the big town and I only wish I was with you and you was paying the bills. Now about this Florida trip, if you can arrange it I should be glad to bat for you on the column and ask no salary because I want to do a public service the way I think you think you are doing. You get down at the roots of a lot of things but I think that if I had a chance I could get father down than you do because I understand the things I write about. You know that I am not only a constant reader but an observant citizen and my popular combined which is a winning team when one man like me can do it all at once and make interesting reading. So go ahead and see what you can do and let me know if you want me to give you a lift and hereby improve the column while you are absence. Yours truly NATE.

The other:

My dear Mr. Bentley: If I may so bold I should like to add my very sincere wishes for your future and to express the hope that 1927 will bring you many good things. I have never had the pleasure of meeting you and must say I have given up trying to do so far the reason I understand that you are not inclined to attend parties. It is on such occasions that I extend my social acquaintance and no young woman like me is disinclined to meet a gentleman providing he is that. I have never heard that you are otherwise. I am ambitious to become a writer and I feel that you might be able to advise me. I should prefer, however, that you make the first move. Wishing you luck I remain yours sincerely, SOPHRONIA.

Regarding the communications of NATE and SOPHRONIA I can only say that it is always delightful to be remembered. As far as NATE'S suggestion goes I can say that at the hour of going to press my plans for spending the winter in the north were unchanged. Now as to the tender thoughts from SOPHRONIA that situation, too, remains as it was before her letter was received.

It seems to be a well-established custom when one goes to New York and has time on one's hands to attend a theatrical performance or two. I did just that and I feel that I shall not be trespassing upon the interest of my readers if I refer to a production which I am sure would find immediate favor with many of my Newton friends. I do not know that it is coming to Boston so that this can in no way be interpreted as an advance notice, as the publicity agents express it.

This play is called "Caponsacchi" and was prepared by Arthur Goodrich and Rose A. Palmer and based upon Browning's poem "The Ring and the Book." Few of us are unfamiliar with this famous work so that a stage version of it is bound to command attention. The star is Walter Hampden, to whom we have come to look as the most successful of the modern Shakespearean actors and interpreter of the highest in dramatic literature.

"Caponsacchi" is not only splendidly staged but acted by a competent company whose every movement shows Mr. Hampden's skill as a director. It is a treat to have a play presented which possesses an intellectual appeal, but there do not seem to be many who hold my view. At least the audiences are not large at such productions, even in New York.

I might easily go into an extended description of "Caponsacchi," with its magnificence of stage settings, its beautiful dialogue so charmingly read by men and women with voices well suited for the purpose; the groupings at the dance and the carnival, the court scene, etc. However, all that I can say is that I know that Browning's "Ring and the Book" has not been mutilated. On the contrary it has been put into life with such skill that one need not be a deep admirer of the poet to thoroughly enjoy this admirable presentation.

I also saw the melodrama "Broadway." The report that it is "sold out to next June to speculators" rather prejudiced me against it but I hasten to say that the people who view this play get something for their money.

One needs to be familiar with New York life to grasp all the allusions, but that is the least part of it. Again, here is a play that I do not expect to reach Boston with in a year or more so that in praising it I am not acting as an unpaid press agent but rather as a scout for my theatre-going friends in Newton.

Sometimes we hear it said that an individual or a place is "old-fashioned." The phrase is used to express contempt, mild perhaps, but contempt nevertheless. I am not sure that it is fair, for there are many old-fashioned people and things that find greater favor with those of us who appreciate the rarer qualities in human kind and the places where they live. But Boston, I think, is open to the charge of being "old-fashioned" in its most severe sense on at least one point.

I refer to the system that obtains at the northern Park street exit of the subway. How many, many times have I seen a man or woman, bewildered by the crowds or unfamiliar with the entrances and exits of the subway, make his or her way laboriously down the steps that lead to the northern platform only to be told that they must climb the stairs again and walk over to the entrance. The large black sign over the doors, "Exit Only" seems not enough. Busy, hurrying people have not time to read signs.

The Elevated keeps a man stationed at the top or the bottom of the steps, not in both places at the same time, however, and his job is to prevent such happenings. But notwithstanding this plan scores of people

make the same mistake every day. Not long ago I saw a woman, her arms filled with bundles, make her way to the foot of the long flight of stairs only to find that she must clamber up again.

I do not wish to be too critical but I think something could be done to avoid this. The fact that an employee, with probably many other duties, is supposed always to do the job looking for such individuals, is, I maintain, proof that Boston is old-fashioned, meaning in this instance, behind the times.

I do not know if gates would serve the purpose, for that would delay those who are emerging, especially in rush hours. But there must be a better plan than the one now in operation. Among the things I look forward to in 1927 is the straightening-out of this obvious bit of inexcusable incon-

Waltham gave several readings which were enjoyed by all. Short stories were told by Mrs. Whitney, Mr. Kerr and Mr. O'Neal. A Santa Claus chimney with a gift for all furnished much amusement for the whole party.

After wishing Mr. and Mrs. Jepsen a happy New Year the party broke up in the small hours of the morning, everyone declaring Mr. and Mrs. Jepsen to be a charming host and hostess.

D. R.

Sarah Hull Chapter, D. R., will meet next Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. Frank W. Webber, 11 Washington street, Newton. At 3 P. M. Mrs. Frank R. Sanborn will speak on "Is the Flapper Grandmother a Modern Product?" Music will be furnished by Isabel McDonald, accompanied by Miss Sarah Bagley. The hostesses will be Mrs. F. W. Webber, Mrs. Walter C. Whitney, Mrs. S. B. Whittemore, Mrs. T. S. Wigder, Mrs. George Agry and Miss Sarah Bagley.

D. A. R.

Mrs. Charles W. Johonnot, 85 High street, entertained the members of Minute Men Chapter, D. A. R. at luncheon on Friday of last week. Mrs. Charles M. Wilford of Quincy, Regent, presided at the business meeting preceding the luncheon and the usual contributions were made for the work of the National Society. Miss Johonnot assisted in entertaining as did also Mrs. W. A. Read of Quincy, niece of Mrs. Johonnot and treasurer

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Let me first of all express my gratitude to the members of last year's Board of Aldermen, the members of all City Boards and Commissions, to all Heads of Departments, to the clerks in City Hall, the teachers in our schools, police officers, firemen and to all who work for the city in any capacity for their cooperation and for their work well done.

The members of the General Court, also, who so ably represent our city at the State House deserve honorable mention.

To the City Solicitor, I express on behalf of all at City Hall appreciation of his careful and prompt attention to all legal matters affecting the various departments.

I wish also at this time to record my appreciation of the splendid contribution made by business, fraternal, charitable, military, religious organizations, Service and Women's Clubs toward a better city.

The two retiring members of last year's Board, Aldermen O'Connell and Pratt, deserve the thanks of all their fellow citizens for most efficient work and for fidelity in the discharge of every duty. They have rendered valuable service not only to the wards they represented but to the entire city. I welcome at this time those who take their places; men who for many years have shown unusual interest in all civic matters and who have already rendered real public service in their respective communities. I congratulate them upon the opportunity for service in a broader field.

We record with extreme regret the death of Hon. John W. Weeks and Senator Abbott B. Rice.

Secretary Weeks started his public career as an alderman of this city, representing Ward 3, and served as Mayor in 1902-1903. As a city official, he showed the same industry, honesty of purpose, tact and sound judgment which characterized his long public service which followed to state and nation.

Senator Rice served several years as alderman and representative to the General Court, was later elected to the Massachusetts Senate and served his district well. He was always interested in Newton, and his efforts were ever directed toward making it a better city.

Charles Ward Post No. 62 G.A.R. and the City of Newton shared a common sorrow when John Flood and John Ryan answered the last roll call. They were good soldiers, most useful citizens and loyal friends.

Those of us at City Hall still miss Anne Collins who was so suddenly taken from us. She was an efficient assistant in the City Clerk's office, and faithful to the end.

We meet today to organize our city government. The work of conducting city business for another year has been assigned to us. We have been chosen by the people for this task. To them we are responsible. We are their servants, trustees and stewards.

A public office is a public trust. Moreover it is required in stewards that a man be found faithful.

We serve in an interesting age. Times have changed. The general standard of living in this country is higher than ever before.

Things that were non-essentials and luxuries a quarter of a century ago are necessities today in the city and in the home.

People everywhere insist that government furnish more and more. To operate cities is expensive because more comforts and conveniences are demanded and because labor and materials are high. In the face of rising cost of government is heard the call for economy.

Let economy be our watchword, but let it be wise economy, constructive economy.

"There is that scattereth and yet increaseth; and there is that withholdeth more than is meet, but it tendeth to poverty."

Cities like individuals spend and grow, or they hoard and decline. Just expenditure is rational policy tending to gain. The man or city of liberal methods prospers.

Taxes are the cost of government. They represent for the most part the cost of labor and materials. The only possible way to reduce taxes is to spend less. To reduce taxes, activities must be reduced. And yet all the time, tax-payers are demanding more and better service of municipalities. They demand better roads, better lighting, better police and fire protection, abundant and pure water, rapid transportation, effective disposal of waste, adequate parks and playgrounds and a wise educational system. All these are essentials today, and they cost money.

Newton is a growing city and growing with remarkable rapidity. It is a city of homes covering an area equal to that of Somerville, Cambridge and Brookline combined, but with a population of only about 55,000. Being one of the most attractive of the suburbs of greater Boston and with plenty of land as yet undeveloped, it will continue to grow for many years to come.

A growing city like a growing child is expensive. With conditions as they are and as they will doubtless continue to be, I fail to see how taxes can be materially reduced in days ahead.

We can, however, eliminate non-essentials and guard against waste and needless expense. That is our particular job.

Actual legitimate expenses will always be paid for cheerfully by the tax-payer. What they demand, they do not expect to get for nothing.

Let us strive in the future as in the past to get the most for the tax-payers from the amount which they contribute, thereby making an honest effort to give adequate service for money which we forcibly take from them.

Let us continue the "pay policy" which we have been following, erroneously called "pay as you go." No city has adopted the literal "pay as you go" policy because, in these days in which we are living, the time would shortly arrive when it couldn't go because it couldn't pay, and municipal government has to function. Annual recurring expenses, however, should be met in so far as it is possible from the tax levy rather than from borrowings.

The financial condition of the city is sound and most satisfactory. This is reflected in the fact that our bonds sell readily and at splendid prices and that they are always in demand as a gilt edge investment. We even get premiums on temporary loans. The tax rate of \$28.00, an increase of sixty

cents is still \$3.00 lower than the average rate in the thirty-nine cities of this Commonwealth.

Our total valuation on April 1st, 1926, was \$132,230,700.00, made up as follows:

Buildings	.....	\$78,534,350.00
Land	.....	35,513,250.00
Personal	.....	18,183,100.00

The valuation of exempted property was \$21,231,950.00. The valuation of the 9,545 automobiles of the city was \$6,226,400.00, an increase of \$636,850.00 over 1925.

The outlook for 1927 is most promising, but the figures will in all probability fall short of those of 1926—a phenomenal year. A brief summary of our financial situation is as follows:

Bonds authorized in 1926	.....	\$805,000.00
Bonds matured during 1926	.....	555,500.00
Leaving Gross Funded Debt on December 31, 1926	.....	5,188,500.00

Showing an increase in the Gross Funded Debt during the past year of	.....	249,500.00
Net Funded Debt December 31, 1926	.....	4,142,102.38
Showing an increase during the past year of	.....	362,186.89

Sinking Fund Commissioners held on December 31, 1926, securities and cash amounting to

1,046,397.62		
112,686.89		
They paid in 1926 to the City of Newton to pay a like amount of bonds maturing	.....	175,000.00
There will be due and payable during 1927 bonds amounting to	.....	483,000.00

Of which amount the Sinking Fund Commissioners will furnish	.....	157,000.00
Leaving Serial Bonds to be paid by taxation and Water Receipts	.....	326,000.00

Showing a decrease over last year, payable from the above sources, of	54,500.00
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Interest on Funded Debt and estimated requirements for Sinking Funds in 1927 will be more than at this time in 1926 by about	3,000.00
The Borrowing Capacity on December 31, 1926, was	454,564.02

Showing an increase during the year of	20,984.64
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DEBT STATEMENT DECEMBER 31, 1926

Outside Debt Limit	Gross	Sinking Funds	Net
Sewer (\$953,000 Serial)	\$1,198,000.00	\$234,230.92	\$963,769.08
Washington Street	951,500.00	610,759.87	340,740.13
Water (\$254,000 Serial)	434,000.00	147,571.57	286,428.43
Highway Widening	80,000.00	53,835.26	26,164.74
	\$2,663,500.00	\$1,046,398.62	\$1,617,102.38

Within Debt Limit (All Serial)			
School	.....	\$2,069,000.00	
Street Improvement	.....	250,000.00	
Public Library	.....	10,000.00	
Beacon Street Fire Station	.....	15,000.00	
Bridge	.....	11,000.00	
Service Building	.....	34,000.00	
Elliot Street Land	.....	2,000.00	
Auburndale Fire Station	.....	23,000.00	
Hull Street Land	.....	11,000.00	
Stable and Service Station	.....	100,000.00	
		\$2,525,000.00	
NET DEBT	.....		\$4,142,102.38

Borrowing Capacity

Average valuation for the last three years, \$119,182,560.95	.....	\$2,979,564.02
Debt Limit @ 2 1/2% of \$119,182,560.95	2,525,000.00
Net Debt within Debt Limit	

Borrowing Capacity	\$454,564.02
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The following comparison may be of interest:

1911 Valuation	\$75,264,355.00
1926 Valuation	132,230,700.00
1912 Gross Debt	.....	5,801,300.00
Net Debt	.....	3,231,261.97
At close of 1926	.....
Gross Debt	.....	5,188,500.00
Net Debt	.....	4,142,102.38

The percentage of debt compared with valuations of the earlier day was vastly heavier than today, and it is much easier to carry our debt today than it was then.

In 1919 we had our smallest net debt—\$2,006,406.07, but think what has happened since then. Consider what has been done in the matter of new schoolhouses alone. Money has not been wasted. We have something to show for every dollar spent. Of course, we have the additional burden of maintaining our new possessions.

The hard luck stories which have been going the rounds during these later days in regard to the City's financial condition disturb only the ignorant. The City of Newton in all her history has never been in better condition physically, financially and, thanks to our beloved clergy, spiritually than it is today.

Those who would have our people believe otherwise either have a political bacillus stirring in their systems, or they are looking through smoked glasses or they are just ordinary fools. We have a splendid surplus.

We also have almost enough gasoline filling stations, and I suggest that in the future, it might be the part of wisdom to grant such permits only to those who honestly intend to operate them as a part of their regular business, precisely as we grant common victuallers' licenses.

The factors which enter into the making of any city are health, education, recreation, industry and character. Without these no city can flourish. We are fortunate in that we are privileged to live in a city where the consciousness of the need of public health is thoroughly aroused. Home and school have cooperated with health officers both in City and State in placing Newton where she stands in the matter of public health.

It was my privilege to attend the recent triennial convention dinner of the field representatives of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company and to sit beside Dr. Lee K. Frankel, the second Vice-President of the Company, the man who has charge of its health programme. The compliment which he paid our City was most gratifying, and his words, his figures and the record which he showed me for Newton, were most encouraging.

I was interested to learn that he laid great emphasis on the splendid health work which is going on in our schools, and that he attributed much of our success to the most effective work which is being done among children and youth in the school-room and on the playground. The future health of our City depends largely upon the attention given youth.

During the past year, the health of our people has been good. The death rate was ten per thousand of population. We have had nothing resembling an epidemic. The number of cases of the most important diseases has showed only the usual variation from year to year.

The two most important pieces of work inaugurated by the Board of Health during the year were the formation of an Advisory Council consisting of representatives from the School Department and seven of the more important organizations of the City. This body, as its name implies, sits in an advisory capacity to the Board and brings it in closer touch with the citizens. Several meetings have been held and the Council is now working on a plan for establishing clinics for children of pre-school age.

The other important work, undertaken in connection with the physicians of Newton and the Department of Public Health, is the establishment of a reporting area for cancer. Under this arrangement, it is believed that important information as to the occurrence of cancer will be obtained. All cancer statistics are based upon deaths, and no statistics of its occurrence in the living are in existence. Newton will have the distinction of being the pioneer in collecting cancer statistics among the living.

The agitation over impure water late in the fall ceased almost as quickly as it started. The State Department of Health has supervision over the water supply of all cities and towns, and so long as Dr. George H. Bigelow remains at its head, no community will be permitted to deliver impure water to its people. He has studied the situation here and has suggested that certain improvements be made in our system whereby any possible pollution of our water supply may be guarded against in the future. These suggestions are being carried out. With the work now being done on the reservation our water supply for some years to come ought to be abundant and safe.

The 20 inch main on Commonwealth Avenue from Walnut to Washington Streets was recently completed which now gives us a 20 inch east and west line nearly four miles in length from the Reservoir to Washington Street.

This gives increasing pressure and flow available for domestic as well as fire service. This work having been finished in October enabled us to adequately supply all points in our territory from the Metropolitan System. This gave us opportunity to shut down our pumps while we were making improvements at the Pumping Station and on our water collecting lines.

During the past year, 23 miles of 20, 16, 12, 10 and eight inch mains have been thoroughly cleaned. This has resulted in clearer water and an appreciably increased volume of flow. The new well 33 feet in diameter and 40 feet deep, the contract for which was necessarily awarded to the lowest bidder, owing to the appropriation granted, is making slow progress, but it is believed that it will be completed by spring.

Indications point to a considerable volume of very high grade water being added to our supply when the addition has been connected with our conduit lines. The people of our City are entitled to clear, pure water at all times, and every endeavor is being made and will in the future be made to give it to them.

The work of Weston and Sampson, our consulting engineers in the matter of improvement of our water supply, is greatly appreciated; also the interest taken in the matter by the special Committee on Water from your honorable board.

I believe that the time has come when we should urge our representatives in the Legislature to take the initiative with our neighboring towns and cities in securing the dredging of the Charles River and its banks. This is our greatest natural asset and the safeguarding of its waters from pollution is a pressing need and a growing one. There is much swampy land along its borders which is likely to become a menace to the health of our people and is a growing danger to our young folks.

The poor we have always with us, and the City cooperating with private welfare agencies and fraternal organizations has endeavored to relieve want in a wise but sympathetic manner.

The Newton Hospital, our only institution for the sick, has had a most successful year. The recent campaign for a new building fund supported generously by all of our citizens, was most successful and money already pledged, with additional funds still being gathered, will assure our people of a first class, up to date institution for the relief of human suffering.

It was a gigantic undertaking, most carefully planned and well conducted. All who helped rendered real service to the City and to surrounding towns.

Street, sewer and drainage work has been carried on, during the past year, and much has been accomplished. About four miles of sewers have been constructed in sixty streets. The Faneuil Valley Sewer is now under construction.

Laundry Brook drain has been constructed from the High School to Hull Street and the Newtonville drain completed.

New streets have been built. Some have been accepted; others are ready for acceptance.

The work at Bullough's Pond has been completed. This much needed improvement is appreciated, not only by abutters but by all who are familiar with the situation which existed there. A sanitary nuisance has been abated.

During the coming year, resurfacing and maintenance of streets should receive careful consideration. The work on California Street will be completed, and this ought to relieve Watertown Street of some of the traffic.

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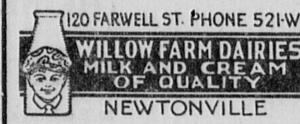
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CITY GOVERNMENT INAUGURAL

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which the \$113,787 were appropriated, were the result of competitive bidding, that the Levi Warren School will cost no more because of the deferring of these items than had they been taken care of in the original appropriation for this school by letting the contract in toto, and that they will provide for the completion of the building excepting the furniture and grading of the grounds. Alderman Hodgdon asked for more information regarding the deferred items, so that the aldermen might know for what they were appropriating money. Alderman Collins explained that of the amount asked for \$48,856 was on the general contract, \$5,685 for plumbing, \$21,400 for heating, \$7,050 for electrical work, \$15,398 for painting, \$4240 for pipe covering, \$6157 for architects' fees and \$5000 for contingencies. Alderman Hodgdon asked regarding the contingency item and Alderman Baker sought information about the \$48,856 on the general contract. Alderman Fitts explained that the contingency expense was largely to pay for supervision of the work on the school by the Building Department. Alderman Collins gave information in answer to Alderman Baker's query. He also moved that the Board authorize the City Treasurer to borrow \$4,000,000 in anticipation of the 1927 revenue.

Alderman Gallagher announced that the special committee appointed to arrange for the "annual aldermanic dinner" had selected "Sandy Burr" as the place where the 1926 City Legislators will "break bread" to show that they still love one another. Alderman Hodgdon, careful of his unsullied reputation, asked for information as to the location and character of "Sandy Burr." He was afraid it might be a roadhouse. Alderman Gallagher acknowledged he was not much, if any, acquainted with the place, but had taken Alderman Ball's word that it was all right. Alderman Ball assured his colleague from Ward 5 that "Sandy Burr" is a very respectable country club, devoted to golf.

Alderman Baker added his approval to the recommendation of President Weeks "that the Finance Committee take up the various recommendations covering appropriations the week before the Board meets, in order that as many matters as possible be printed on the docket." He stated that last year the Board held thirty regular and special meetings, and only on three docket were any reports from the Finance Committee. Chairman Collins of the Finance Committee remarked that this reform has been agitated for the past five years, and while it will be difficult to accomplish it, he will do all he can to co-operate. Alderman Heathcote also favored the recommendation, saying that frequently members of the Finance Committee have been asked to make large appropriations with but an hour or two to consider them. The meeting adjourned until January 17th.

These committees appointed were announced:

Finance:—Collins, Chairman; Bliss, Favinger, Fitts, Heathcote, Madden, Pres. Weeks.

Public Works:—Earle, Chairman; Ball, Baker, Gordon, Hinckley, Pratt, Wakefield.

Franchises and Licenses:—Hawkins, Chairman; deMille, Gallagher, Grebenstein, Hodgdon, Leahy, Noone.

Claims and Rules:—Madden, Chairman; Baker, Bliss, Grebenstein, Hinckley.

Public Buildings:—Fitts, Chairman; Ball, deMille, Gallagher, Gordon, Leahy, Wakefield.

Education:—Pratt, Chairman; deMille, Noone.

Legislation:—Baker, Chairman; Bliss, Earle, Hawkins, Heathcote, Hodgdon, Pres. Weeks.

Mayor's Address:—Gordon, Chairman; Hodgdon, Noone, Pratt, Wakefield.

Kenrick Fund:—Hawkins, Chairman; deMille, Leahy.

Water Supply:—Bail, Chairman; Favinger, Gallagher.

New City Hall and City Hall Accommodations:—Baker, Chairman; Favinger, Hinckley, Gordon, Madden, Pratt, Wakefield.

New School Buildings:—Fitts, Chairman; Collins, Noone, Pres. Weeks.

Street Traffic:—Grebenstein, Chairman; Hinckley, Hodgdon.

ROBINSON-DOW

Miss Alice Lincoln Dow, daughter of Mr. and Clifford W. Dow of 56 Columbus street, Newton Highlands, was married Saturday night at the home of her parents to Winfield Fairbanks Robinson of Newtonville, who was graduated from Dartmouth College with the class of 1926. The Rev. Carl O. Farrar officiated at the ceremony. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Marjorie Stone Dow, as maid of honor, and Clifford F. Robinson, brother of the bridegroom, was best man. After a wedding trip to New York and Atlantic City Mr. and Mrs. Robinson will make their home in Brookline.

DEATH OF MRS. AUSTIN

Mrs. Annie A. Austin, the wife of Mr. George P. Austin, died last week Thursday at her home on Higgins street, Auburndale, after a long period of failing health. Mrs. Austin was born in Kittery, Maine, and was 64 years of age and had been a resident of Auburndale for about 25 years. She is survived by her husband. Funeral services were held Saturday, Rev. Earl E. Harper officiating and the burial was at Kittery, Maine.

BUILDING PERMITS FALL OFF

Buildings Commissioner Chadwick reports a serious falling off in the number and value of building permits issued thru his office in 1926 as compared with 1925. In 1926 there were 1539 permits valued at \$8,393,954 as compared with 1878 permits valued at \$12,297,313 issued in 1925. Single and double dwellings issued in 1926 were 547 valued at \$5,964,360 while 1925 had 785 such permits valued at \$9,509,990.

SCHOOL NOTES

F. A. Day Junior High School

On Wednesday, January 5th, the pupils of the Junior High School boarded a large airplane and flew backward to the days of Columbus. From their point of vantage they looked down over North America and saw the Indians as they lived in those centuries. The pilot and efficient guide of the trip was Mrs. Harry Estabrook. She pointed out the narrow foot paths on which the Indians trod and explained that there were no broad roads because the people traveled everywhere on foot. We saw the queer bark-covered pole houses in one part of the country and the stone dwellings in another. From slides, we were able to realize the enormity of skill which it took to build stone houses when aided only by stone chisels.

On the Great Plains we watched a thrilling buffalo hunt. One Indian took home several large animals which he had shot with his bow and arrow. His large, squat wife cooked some of the meat while he dried the skins to use for clothing.

We saw the fields of waving corn and watched these bronze men cultivate their land, working ceaselessly under the relentless sun.

We were also made to realize somewhat how we have gone against the trust of the people who welcomed the white man because they believed he had come to save them from sorrow. Yet what did we give this great creative race which made such valuable contributions to civilization? Nothing but a few acres of land on which they live in pitiable contrast to the way in which they did when they roamed over the entire country at will.

Two of the teachers, Mrs. Sandwall and Miss Grenier, have not yet returned because of illness.

On behalf of the faculty and pupils we wish every one happy and successful New Year.

Lasell Seminary

School reopened after the Christmas vacation on Wednesday, January 5.

Prof. Elmer Leslie of Boston University will have charge of the Vesper Service at 6.15 on Sunday, January 9.

The third concert in the series by the Paul Shirley Group of Symphony Players will be given at the Auburndale Club on Tuesday, January 11, at 3.30 o'clock.

Lasell is fortunate in securing Dr. William Montgomery McGovern who will present to the students and friends at the Auburndale Club on Tuesday evening, January 11, at 8 o'clock, his illustrated lecture, "Secrets of Amazonian Jungles."

Mason School

Every year the Playground Department gives shield trophies to the school winning the football, hockey, or baseball championship of the Newton Grammar School League. Last year the Mason School won both the hockey and baseball trophies, and at the Christmas Assembly, Mr. Herman was present, and gave the two shields to the school.

JOHN A. ANDREW HOME

The Gov. John A. Andrew Home was given a happy send-off for the New Year. Sunday afternoon a delegation of forty members of the Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War visited the Home each laden with gifts which were distributed among the members of the Home, each one being generously remembered.

A very interesting program was presented, consisting of baritone solos by Mr. Walter Kerns of Newtonville and cornet solos by Mrs. Grace Marchant. Ice cream and cake were served and the members of the Home expressed the opinion that it was one of the best entertainments ever held at the Home and was greatly enjoyed by everyone.

The Directors of the Home extend a cordial invitation to the people of Newton to visit the Home. Mrs. Lue Stuart Wadsworth, the President, will extend a welcome to any who may call.

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NEWS

FROM THE COLLEGES

By Harold P. Carver, N. H. S. '26

Now that the Christmas vacation has run its course and once again books must be opened by the various students, we find that we are in the midst of that very trying period known as Examinations. Consequently all eyes are on the work at hand, all efforts aimed at passing the course, and all duties forgotten except that of study. Thus if any of you home folk fail to receive a great deal of mail, or very much attention, blame it all on the Flame of Scholarship which must be fed by oil even though it may be of the midnight variety. There is much to be done so we all must put aside pleasant thoughts of that happy vacation and march where duty calls.

Since this is the time that the stray facts are gathered up and welded into a unified whole let us take the time to recount the acts of some Newtonians at the more widely scattered institutions. On our first stop we encounter Winslow Auryansen who is attending Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute at Troy, New York. This school is a leading institute in the East, ranking with Stevens in its opportunities. Winslow, or Skhny, is now the proud possessor of a feathered lip, but levity aside he has achieved a measure of success in his chosen line of scholasticism. He graduated from Newton in 1923 at which place he had been most interested in the Hi-Y Club and was one of the singers in the Boys' Glee Club for two years prior to his graduation.

Our next visit takes us into the land of the soap and dental cream, in other words Colgate, not far from Hamilton, New York. Here there are two Newton men, Gordon Wing and Edward Rogers. Rogers, a graduate in 1923, now is completing his final year at the New York college. While at the High School he made a fine record in the many activities that it afforded. He was, in his sophomore year, on the Debating team that won all of its debates in the Suburban League, an organization that soon broke up by reason of the lack of interest in public discussion and argument. The third concert in the series by the Paul Shirley Group of Symphony

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EDITORIALS

Two members of the board have just retired from public office, President George W. Pratt and Alderman Daniel O'Connell. Mr. Pratt has been a most valuable member of the board for seven years and has given the most conscientious and thorough consideration to the many municipal problems which have been before the board during that time. He retires with the respect and regard of every member of the city government with whom he has served. Alderman O'Connell in the four years he has been a member of the city government has not had the opportunity for prominent service, but he has won nevertheless the hearty respect of all his associates for his faithfulness and sincerity of purpose.

While we regret the large amount of extraneous matter with which Mayor Childs clutters up his annual addresses to the city government, it all makes rather interesting reading and we trust it will be read by every resident of the city. We commend particularly his suggestion that more care should be exercised in the granting of permits for filling stations and add that as such permits require his approval, a veto now and then might be advisable. We also agree with the Mayor that there is immediate need of action in providing an up-to-date fire alarm signal system and for a new fire house at Newton Corner.

DEATHS

KENNA: on January 5 at 152 River street, West Newton, Mrs. M. Priscilla Kenna.
EVERETT: on January 6 at 18 Ware road, Auburndale, Lottie L. Everett, age 60 yrs.
AUSTIN: on December 30 at 10 Higgins street, Auburndale, Mrs. Annie Austin, age 64 yrs.
SAWYER: on December 30 at 1112 Boylston street, Upper Falls, Webster Sawyer, age 33 yrs.
GILDEA: on December 30 at 5 Emerson street, Newton, Mrs. Annie Gildea, age 69 yrs.
SCOVELL: on December 31 at 281 Park street, Newton, Clinton H. Scovell, age 50 yrs.
MURRAY: on December 31 at Newton City Home, Newton Highlands, James Murray, age 70 yrs.
MCLAUGHLIN: on January 1 at 9 Cook street, Newton Highlands, John H. McLaughlin, age 66 yrs.
WALES: on January 5 at 194 Beacon street, Waban, Fred N. Wales, age 71 yrs.
BERGESON: on January 1 at 885 Beacon street, Newton Centre, Dr. John Bergeson, age 63 yrs.
GAY: on January 5 at 26 Washington Park, Newtonville, Mrs. Minnie Gay, age 61 yrs.

CITY HALL

The annual aldermanic dinner of the retiring board was held at the Sandy Burr Country Club on Wednesday night with Mayor Childs and City Clerk Grant as the sole guests.

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With the inauguration of the 145th annual session of the General Court, the Graphic resumes its weekly letter under the above caption and which we have published for over 25 years.

All four of the Newton representatives were present at the opening of the session on Wednesday noon and all four received good committee assignments. Representative Saltonstall is chairman once again of the committee on State Administration and is also a member of the important committee on "Rules," known as the Speaker's "cabinet."

Representative Lutwiler is re-appointed to his former committee on State Administration. Representative Hollis is given a place on the most important committee (from a Newton standpoint) Metropolitan Affairs, and the new member, Representative Thompson is on the committee on Mercantile Affairs.

In the Senate, our new Senator, Edward T. Simoneau, is chairman of the Legal Affairs committee and is also on Counties and Civil Service.

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Newton Centre

An enjoyable program has been arranged for the Fathers and Sons Night of the Men's Club of Trinity church to be held next Tuesday evening in the parish house.

Word has been received from Dr. and Mrs. W. Huntington of Commonwealth avenue, who are traveling this winter, that they are now enjoying the winter at Los Angeles.

James Murray, formerly in the employ of Robert Weir, died at the City Home on December 31st. His funeral was held Monday; burial was in Newton Cemetery.

Mrs. J. M. Tomb of Lake avenue, left Friday for Colorado, where she will join her mother and sister, from there they will motor to California where they expect to remain six or seven weeks.

The treasurer of the Boston Auxiliary to the American McAll Association gratefully acknowledges the receipt of \$135.00 from Mrs. Frank E. Anderson of Newton Centre, and from the lecture by Miss Hersey and the tea at Mrs. S. Harold Greene's in December.

The annual supper of the Newton Centre Unitarian Church will be held at 6:30 P.M. on Friday, January 14. There will be a conduct of necessary business and an evening of social fellowship. Reports will be read of the past year's work by all organizations of the church. The annual legal meeting will be called for January 21, at 8 P.M.

Rev. George L. Parker of the Newton Centre Unitarian Church will preach in Toledo, Ohio, at the Unitarian Church on January 16, 18 and 20. The minister of the Toledo Church, Rev. Horace Westwood is preaching throughout the country under direction of the Laymen's League. The League has asked Mr. Parker to substitute for Dr. Westwood for these three Sundays.

Mr. and Mrs. Melville H. Smith of Ward street announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Clara Wescott Smith, to Addison Donham Owen of Berkeley, Calif. Miss Smith will be graduated in the spring from The Principia, at St. Louis, Mo. Mr. Owen was graduated from the University of California with the class of 1923 and is a member of the Harvard Law School, class of 1927.

Of interest is the announcement made by Mr. and Mrs. John Richards Perry of Commonwealth avenue of the engagement of their daughter, Miss Margaret Lewis Perry, to Wallys Lyman James of New York. Miss Perry is a graduate of Abbot Academy in Andover. Mr. James is the son of Mrs. Lewis Alexander James of Saratoga Springs, N. Y. He is a graduate of Phillips Exeter Academy and of Williams College, class of '21.

1016 Beacon street gave a tea on Saturday to a number of her friends to announce her engagement to Maurice Quade. Miss Hamilton is a graduate of Wellesley College, class of '28 and during last year was a member of the faculty of the Princeton High School at Princeton. Mr. Quade is a graduate of the University of Illinois, class of '24, and received his master's degree in engineering at the University of Illinois. He is now with the A. W. Waddell Engineering Corporation of New York city.

Miss Dorothea Tichnor entertained a number of her friends on New Year's night at her home on Commonwealth avenue, Chestnut Hill. Supper was served at six, after which an enjoyable evening was spent playing bridge. Friends were present from Newton, Dedham and Cambridge. Mr. Howard Whitmore of Newton won the first gentleman's prize and Mr. Phil Rising, also of Newton, won the gentlemen's booby. Mrs. Vernon Cook (formerly Miss Sussane Apsey) of Cambridge won the first ladies' prize and Miss Betty Cutter of Dedham, won the ladies' booby.

COMMUNITY THEATRE

Rex Ingram's "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse" is returning in triumph to the Community Theatre, Newton, for four days starting with a matinee Sunday afternoon, January 9.

With this great picture comes the Peter Pan girl of the screen, Betty Bronson, in her latest and best photoplay, "Everybody's Acting." The theatre is running a special matinee on Sunday afternoon, January 9, for the benefit of those that can't get to see these two wonderful pictures any other time, and as an added attraction for Sunday afternoon and night have engaged "Dok" Eisenbourg and his Sinfonians.

For Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the theatre is offering a picture that critics claim to be the equal of "Beau Geste," namely "The Great Gatsby," starring Warner Baxter and Lois Wilson.

RANKIN-BUTLER; on Dec. 27 at Boston by Rev. Edward Daniels, Austin H. Rankin of Rochester, N. Y., and Maria C. Butler of 134 Middlesex road, Chestnut Hill.

CLARKE-DUMAINE; on Dec. 24 at Newton by Rev. C. A. Drummond, Marion M. Clarke and Elizabeth Du-

POLICE NEWS

With the inauguration of the 145th annual session of the General Court, the Graphic resumes its weekly letter under the above caption and which we have published for over 25 years.

William Downing of Main street, Waltham, arrested on December 24th for driving "wutiol," was fined \$100 by Judge Bacon on Wednesday. He appealed. On the charge of drunkenness, he was found not guilty.

Guiliano DeSantis, 75 Allison street, Nonantum, was in court yesterday morning charged with operating after his license had been revoked. Not an automobile—but a piggy. Agent Fred Russell of the Newton Board of Health testified that De Santis' license to keep pigs had been revoked following complaints from neighbors that the odors wafted from the pigs' domicile were so pungent that the olfactory organs of said neighbors are offended. Guiliano continued to keep the pig, complaints continued to come in, and so Agent Russell hailed the owner of the porcine nuisance into court. When De Santis appeared before Judge Bacon he testified that he had disposed of the animal. His case was placed on file.

Albert M. Harlow of Charles River Village, arrested on December 28 by Officer Mullen after his auto had been in a collision at Newton Centre, was fined \$50 by Judge Bacon yesterday morning on the charge of driving while under the influence of liquor. This is less than the amount usually imposed on "wutiol" drivers in the Newton Court; the ordinary fine for this offence being \$100 or \$150. The judge's leniency on Harlow was caused by the fact that the defendant's wife recently died and he was depressed after his arrest that he was sent to the Psychopathic Hospital for observation.

Two speeders paid fines in court yesterday: W. R. Hopkins of Wellesley was assessed \$20. Thomas Foley of Framingham, \$10.

Joseph Toscano of 64 Border street, West Newton, was given a suspended sentence of 30 days in the House of Correction Monday by Judge Bacon for assaulting his mother-in-law. As a result of a telephone call, Officer Dowling went to that address on New Year's Day and arrested Toscano who was charged with badly cutting and bruising his mother-in-law by striking her with a glass as a result of a family row.

Vincent Al was again in court Wednesday. Vincent, who has been in the second-hand furniture business in Newton for many years, purchased a few years ago, the property at the corner of Centre and Carleton streets, and eventually moved his business there. In 1925 the aldermen refused to renew his license unless he would refrain from displaying his antiques on a large platform which he had built in front of the house where he conducts his shop. As Al considers the outdoor display necessary, he did not comply with the condition, and was refused a license again last year. He has been hauled into court several times for persisting in displaying his wares. Judge Bacon was lenient with him and suspended two \$20 fines until July 22nd.

Wednesday morning at 4:25, Patrolmen Marden and Frank Feeley arrested John Ward, 117 Audubon road, Boston. Ward, who gave his occupation as a student, had a flock of charges confronting him when he appeared in court several hours later. He was complained of having been drunk, driving while under the influence of liquor, driving without a license in his possession, driving without his registration in his possession. His case was continued until January 13.

Charles Dorsey, colored, a 17 year old youth, employed at Vernon Court, was found guilty in the Waltham Court yesterday morning on the charge of accosting Mrs. Mary McKinnon of 30 Boyd street on the night of December 29. He was arrested by Patrolman Liston of Watertown after he had been accused by Mrs. McKinnon of following her to the door of her home and seizing her by the coat. He was placed on probation for a year by Judge Gibbs.

MARRIAGES

ROBINSON-DOW: at Newton Highlands, January 1 by Rev. Charles Farrar. Winfield F. Robinson of 15 Elmwood park, and Alice L. Dow of 56 Columbus street, Newton Highlands.

BUSWELL-LOWELL: at Boston, January 5 by Rev. J. C. Massie, Charles E. Buswell, 18 Clevelly road, Chestnut Hill, and Fannie M. Lowell, Dexter, Maine.

BUCKLEY-SHEA: at Newton, January 2 by Rev. Walter Roche, James T. Buckley, 12 Gardner street, and Mary E. Shea, 9 Gardner street, Newton.

ROBERTS-WARD: at Upper Falls on January 1 by Rev. John Mason, William A. Roberts of Allston and Henrietta Ward, 254 Elliot street, Upper Falls.

RANDO-TARANTO: at Boston, January 1 by Rev. L. Merlo, Joseph Rando and Jennie Taranto of 57 Floral street, Newton Highlands.

VACCIA-PILON: at Newton, January 1 by Rev. Lawrence Slattery, Antonia Vaccia of Allston and Beatrice Pilon of 15 Cook street, Newton.

HARRIS-MCKEE: on December 31 at West Newton by Rev. Wm. O'Brien, Edward Harris of 62 River street, and Mary McKee of 62 Cherry place, West Newton.

MCDURDY-JORDAN: on Dec. 29 at Newton Centre by Rev. E. M. Noyes, George F. McCurdy of Burlington, Vt., and Harriet Jordan of 30 Hamilton road, Newton Centre.

BURKE-COTE: on Dec. 28 at Waltham by Rev. Rosario Richard, Simon Burke of 304 California street, Newton, and Lillian Cote of Waltham.

BOOTH-KING: on Dec. 25 at West Newton by Frank Grant, J. P. Phillips of So. Boston, and Hazel King of 31 Berkshir road, West Newton.

RANKIN-BUTLER: on Dec. 27 at Boston by Rev. Edward Daniels, Austin H. Rankin of Rochester, N. Y., and Maria C. Butler of 134 Middlesex road, Chestnut Hill.

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ABOUT TOWN

William Downing of Main street, Waltham, arrested on December 24th for driving "wutiol," was about the "slushiest" ever. It brought forcibly to the attention of thousands in this city the fact, that Newton is quite neglectful of the health and comfort of that large percentage of its citizens who travel on foot. Before the automobile era, after a snow storm, or even while a storm was in progress, employees of the Street Department would be at work, even between midnight and dawn, not only plowing sidewalks, but also the gutters. The sidewalks are still plowed, but the practice of plowing the gutters was long ago discontinued.

To make bad matters worse, the snow, which the huge auto trucks plow off the streets to make traffic easy for automobiles, is piled up over the gutters to add to the discomfort of pedestrians.

That night we drove from our domicile to the Washburn-Stevens Garage and then started to hoof it down Washington street. The sidewalk was in such a condition that we took to the street. At Hovey street we attempted to gain the sidewalk to escape a shower from an approaching auto. Nothing doing. There were six inches of open water between us and the sidewalk. Fortunately the operator of the approaching car was considerate. He steered far enough away to prevent splashing us. We continued along and just west of the Garden City Garage another auto passed by us at a rapid rate. This time we were on the receiving end of about five gallons of slush. Our clothing was drenched from shoes to hat, a large gob of muddy snow hit our proboscis, and we had more spots on our phiz than were there when we, as a boy, sported a plentiful crop of freckles.

We made a rush towards the cross walk at Thornton street, but the approaches to the sidewalk were covered with eight or more inches of water. So we plodded along, finally getting out of the range of more slush-throwing autos when we arrived at Channing street. We had to make a detour up Channing street for 15 yards before we could cross. At Peabody street the cross walk was inches deep in water, but by travelling down that street a bit, we managed to ford. At Bacon street we again had to resort to the street. The cross walk there was impassable.

Outside Hudson's Pharmacy we encountered Police Sergeant Andy Moran. "Sergeant," we said, "The street crossings are in a terrible condition. Can't you telephone to the Street Department to have them made passable?" "I know they are terrible," replied Andy, "but we have no authority over such conditions, we are only supposed to report dangerous conditions." "That being so," we declared, in righteous indignation, "we will go in to the store and telephone Street Commissioner Stuart." We went in, seized the telephone, but did not use it. For we reflected that the Street Department had no money available for any extra work, and the majority of the members of the Finance Committee of the Newton Aldermen had expressed the opinion that too much money is being spent on snow removal. So we reasoned, "Why bother Mr. Stuart? He has troubles enough trying to meet present conditions with inadequate, antiquated equipment."

We tried to repress our wrath and emerged from the store to cross Nonantum Square and board an approaching Boston Elevated car. The slush and water confronted us when we attempted to leave the sidewalk, but we saw what appeared to be solid ice, and stepped on it. It was not solid. We went down into several inches of slush and very thoroughly soaked our shoes, sox, and feet. We allowed the car to depart and headed for a store to purchase a dry pair of socks. But, realizing that dry socks would not help much with wet shoes, we took the next car for Boston and endured wet feet for several hours. Returning from Boston we struggled homeward, forced to wade across flooded street intersections. Our feet were wet, it mattered little if we had to slither through deep puddles.

The Newton aldermen are very generous in appropriating money for certain civic needs. They should realize that many of the residents of this city must depend wholly or partly on foot travel. They should provide for the purchase of sufficient modern equipment, such as Street Commissioner Stuart has repeatedly asked for, to enable the proper removal of snow so that pedestrians can travel without jeopardizing their health. Automobile owners want the streets cleared so they can operate their cars. The gutters should also be cleared so that pedestrians can operate their feet.

COTTON STOCKINGS

Dr. Frank A. Jassett, a member of the Faculty of the Massachusetts College of Chiropractic, claims that cotton stockings should be worn next to the skin during cold weather, for cotton keeps the feet warm and dry. Silk has a bad sanitary effect on the skin, while wool results in excessive perspiration. "If you insist on wearing wool or silk stockings, wear two pairs, cotton next to the skin, wool or silk outside."

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed Executor of the Estate of Maria Furber, wife of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testator, and has taken upon itself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs.

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1 family frame house, 17 Morton street, cost \$8500. F. L. Pearson, owner, M. Massarelli, builder.

1 family frame house, 146 Intervale road, cost \$15,000. Vincent Squires, owner and builder.

1 family frame house, 120 Jackson street, cost \$8000. A. M. Sweetser, owner and builder.

2 family frame house, 53 Athestane road, cost \$14,000. D. A. Hagen, owner and builder.

During December permits were issued for 21 single dwellings, 12 two-family dwellings, 48 garages, 1 business building, 1 gasoline station; all valued at \$420,000. During the year just ended permits were granted for 404 one-family houses, and 143 two-family houses. The value of these was estimated at \$5,964,350. In 1925 541 single houses and 244 double houses, at \$5,509,900 were built in the city. It can be seen that an appreciable decrease occurred in Newton during the past year in building activity.

Lower Falls

1 family frame house, 501 Waban avenue, cost \$6500; Albert Morse, owner; R. P. Bradley & Son, builders.

"See America First" has been heard from Coast to Coast for a great many years. January is an excellent month to tour the continent, stopping at the home and haunts of literary fame. We all know the part that Boston and the surrounding houses have played in the literary world; but do we know "Leather-stocking-land," "Friendship Village," the "Middle Border," the "U. P. Trail," or "The Valley of the Moon?"

The Newton Free Library will be glad to help anyone who wishes to take this transcontinental trip. The tickets are free, and stops-overs unlimited. Here are a few possible stopping places:

Irving, Legend of Sleepy Hollow.

Singmaster, Keller's Anna Ruth.

Fox, The Trail of the Lonesome Pine.

Washington, Up-from the Slaves.

Wright, The Shepherd of the Hills.

Churchill, The Crisis.

Cather, My Antonia.

Lewis, Main Street.

Wister, The Virginian.

Willis, The Enchanted Canyon.

Jackson, Ramona.

White, Gold.

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9.45 A. M. Regular departments of the Church School.

11 A. M. Dr. Ellis will preach.

Newtonville

The annual parish meeting of St. John's Church will be held next Monday evening.

Waban

Mrs. Herbert S. Kimball has gone to Augusta, Maine, for a short visit.

Elizabeth Parker of Metacomet road has returned to Middleton College, where she is a freshman.

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Mrs. Reuben M. Ellis and family are to move next week from Windsor road to a new home on Chestnut St.

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Stevenson of Avalon road plan to move into their new home on Dorset road next Monday.

Miss Jessie Gould was dinner hostess to a group of friend before the New Year's Eve Dance at the Neighborhood Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Linwood A. Linscott of Nehden road entertained a group of friends on New Year's Eve with bridge and dancing.

Miss Florence Lazonby of New York, spent the Christmas holidays with her cousin, Mrs. Herbert R. Stearns of Nehden road.

At the annual meeting this week of the State Street Trust Co. Mr. Dana M. Dutch was made manager of the corporate trust department.

Mr. and Mrs. George N. Roberts of Pine Ridge road entertained friends at dinner before the New Year's Eve Dance at the Neighborhood Club.

Mr. John Hayward of Dayton, Ohio, was the guest of his two brothers, Mr. Fred P. Hayward and Mr. Webster G. Hayward over the holidays.

A Twelfth Night Supper was held at the parish house of the Church of the Good Shepherd on Wednesday evening, under the direction of Mrs. Carl Gove.

Mr. Stanley Ferguson and Mrs. Linwood Linscott chaperoned a merry group of 18 girls and boys to the Needham Theatre on Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Root, Jr., of Collins road entertained at bridge on Monday evening in honor of Mrs. Root's sister, Mrs. Averill Crane of Waterbury, Conn.

The regular monthly meeting of the Altar Guild of the Church of the Good Shepherd was held at the Rectory on Tuesday and was followed by a very enjoyable tea.

A regular meeting of the Women's Branch of the Church Service League will be held in the Parish House on Tuesday of next week, with Mrs. Carl Gove, as luncheon hostess.

The luncheon bridge club, which was to have been entertained on Monday next at Brae Burn by Mrs. Winchester, has been postponed on account of the death of Mrs. Miller.

Little Jack Matthews, the son of Mr. and Mr. H. N. Matthews of Carlton road, who broke both wrists in a coating accident last week is gradually recovering from his accident.

The fourth of Mr. Champagne's Young People's Assemblies was held at the Neighborhood Club House on Friday evening with Mrs. Seigler and Mrs. Sutton acting as hostesses.

James B. Willing, who has been spending the vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Willing of Woodward street, has returned to Dartmouth College, where he is a senior.

Miss Charlotte Arnold, who is doing Social Service Work in White Plains, N. Y., had the misfortune to break her leg and has come to the home of her parents on Waban avenue for the period of convalescence.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Association of the Union Church will be held in the Parish House of the Church of the Good Shepherd, on Wednesday, Jan. 12. Sewing for the Newton Hospital will be in charge of Mrs. N. W. T. Knott. The luncheon hostess will be Mrs. James R. Chandler.

The Executive Board of the Women's Association of the Union Church and the chairman of the various groups responsible for raising the Organ Fund, held a "Get Together Conference" at the home of Mrs. Edwin J. Morse on Woodward street on Tuesday afternoon. It was announced that over \$2900 of the \$10,000 pledged by the women of the parish, has already been raised. A very pleasant tea and social hour brought the afternoon to a close.

BOWDOIN SQ. THEATRE

Wesley Barry, "Freckles" himself, will appear in person the entire week at the Bowdoin Sq. Theatre beginning Monday, January 10.

The pictures for the week too are of special worth. The United Artists will offer Henry King's production, "The Winning of Barbara Worth." Another picture will be Peter B. Kyne's "War Paint." The Sennett comedy will be, "Masked Mamas" with the Pathé News and five selected vaudeville specialties. Bargain night comes Friday and concert every Sunday at 3.

The free parking service for suburbanites is much enjoyed.

NOTICE

The business of the Newton Rose Conservatories, established by the late Robert C. Bridgeman, will be continued. Mr. A. P. Calder will be in charge as formerly.

(Mrs.) A. L. BRIDGEMAN.

Advertisement.

Newton Centre

Mrs. F. L. Anderson of Homer street is in New York City.

Mrs. Chas. N. Arbuckle has been in New York due to the illness of a relative.

Miss Helen Noyce returned Sunday evening to her work in Natick High School.

Miss Pearl McCoy, formerly of Hassetine House, has moved to 32 Locksley road.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church, served a delightful luncheon Wednesday noon.

At the annual meeting this week of the Liberty Trust Co. Mr. Augustus T. Beatty was re-elected a director.

Miss Priscilla Ordway of Gibbs street spent the week-end in New York with some friends of the Appalachian Club.

Catharine Noyes has been home from Wheaton College with her parents at 14 Crystal street for the holidays.

Rev. Dr. E. M. Noyes of the First Church is in Chicago for the midwinter meeting of the Board of Home Extension.

Miss Rhodes, teacher of the Oak Hill School of Oak Hill Village, is slowly recovering from broken ligaments in her knees.

Miss Priscilla Bond, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wood Bond of Gibbs street, has been spending the vacation at her summer camp on Lake Winnipesaukee.

Today the Girl Scouts of Troop III, who suspended activities for the holiday season, will resume their work under Captain Ordway and Lieutenant McCoy.

Mr. George F. McCurdy and Miss Harriette Jordan were married the last Wednesday of the Old Year in the Congregational Church. They will live in Ashmont.

The Festival of Lights, or Candle Lighting Service, will be held in Trinity Church, Sunday evening at 7.15. The Rector, Rev. Edward T. Sullivan, D.D., will make an address on "The Sacred Flame."

At the annual meeting this week of the State Street Trust Co., Mr. Alston Burn and George P. Gardner, Jr. of Chestnut hill and Mr. Morton C. Tuttle of Chestnut terrace, were re-elected directors.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Gregg Bemis (Margaret Houghton) of St. Louis are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Margaret. Mr. Bemis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Farwell Bemis of Chestnut Hill.

Will the lady who left \$75 at the office of the Newton Trust Co. as a contribution to the fund for the new branch library, kindly send her name to Mr. Chas. P. Powers, chairman of the finance committee of that fund.

The engagement has been announced of Miss Olive Murray of 141 Cypress street and Mr. George Strangman of Lynn. Miss Murray is a graduate of the Framingham Normal, and has taken a course at Boston University. She is now the principal of the Monroe School in Lexington. Mr. Strangman is a C.P.A. and lawyer. He has been associated the past eight years with Parson, Waldey, and Crowley. He is a 32nd degree Mason, a member of the Canadian Club, and Treasurer of the Colonial Country Club of Lynnfield.

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10.45 A. M. Morning Worship.

Dr. Elmer A. Leslie will preach.

9.30 A. M. Church School.

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West Newton

The Misses Allen School began on Thursday, after two weeks' vacation.

Miss Lucy Allen arrived home on Wednesday from ten days of visiting in New York.

Mr. Howard Mann of Sewall street is spending three months on a pleasure trip touring Europe.

The annual dinner and meeting of the First Unitarian Society will be held next Monday evening.

Walter Sheaf of Adella avenue returned to Virginia this week, where he is attending a private school.

At the annual meeting this week of the Beacon Trust Co. Mr. George P. Bullard was elected a director.

At the annual meeting this week of the Liberty Trust Co. Mr. Henry W. Newhall was elected a director.

Rev. Dr. Elmer A. Leslie of Boston University will preach next Sunday morning at the Second church.

Parker Pillsbury, who is attending Groton Academy, spent the holidays at his home on Chestnut street.

Miss Marion Burrage of Fairfax street closed her studio for the holidays and spent the week in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Page of 144 Bigelow road, were recent guests at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel at Atlantic City.

Miss Grace Isaac, formerly of Valentine street left this week for Florida, where she will spend the remainder of the winter.

It was learned this week that Clendenning Smith, Jr., is to be one of the violin soloists at the Chautauqua Assembly at Northampton in July.

Mr. Louie A. Bacon of Waltham street returned to his home this week from the Newton Hospital, where he underwent an operation.

Newton Centre

Mr. John Bolinger of Hobart Rd. has returned from Europe.

On Tuesday, Miss Mary Bond of Oxford Road, returned to Connecticut College.

Mrs. Maud Jenkyns of Fitzpatrick, Quebec, is visiting her daughter, Miss Gladys Jenkyns of Cypress street.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hawkes of Furber Lane, have been visiting Mrs. Hawkes' parents at Portland, Maine.

Mrs. Cyrus Chapin and Mrs. Scott H. Wells will give a linnen shower for the Misses Bailey on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clement F. Kingman who were the guests of relatives on Royce road over the holidays, have returned to White Plains, N. Y.

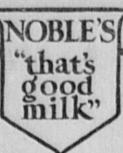
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K. OF C.

Newton Council, K. of C., are setting a fast pace for the Knights of the State this month in their activities. Monday night, January 17, at Elks' Hall, Centre street, Newton, they will have Hon. Arthur D. Welch of Portland, Maine, a national lecturer of the Supreme Council, deliver an address on "Mexico." The following night, Tuesday, January 18, at Elks' Hall, Centre street, Newton, the Boston College Glee Club, comprised of 45 male voices and an orchestra of 20 pieces will be the attraction at what is expected to be the most successful "Ladies' Night" in Council history.

In arranging the public lecture for Knights and their friends, Newton Council have secured one of the foremost speakers in the United States on the Mexican crisis. Mr. Welch is a most brilliant orator and his enlightening story on Mexico will be of intense interest to Catholics and non-Catholics. He is a student of international law and he will discuss the comparative constitutional and other basic laws of Mexico and the United States. The public is invited to the lecture Monday night, January 17. There will be no charges.

Tuesday night, January 18, marks another epoch making night for Newton Council. The Boston College Glee Club under the direction of James Ecker is one of the outstanding college musical organizations. In addition to the chorus, the Club have Arthur Hagen and Lawrence Gibson as soloists. The B. C. Octette is represented by F. Tondorf, L. Gibson, first tenors; F. Healey, F. Shea, second tenors; J. Kelley, T. Heffernan, first bass; D. C. Healey and J. B. Connor, second bass.

The Club and Orchestra will give a program of 10 numbers, followed by dancing with the entire orchestra playing for dancing until 12 o'clock. Members of Newton Council may bring their "lady friends" so that Elks' Hall is likely to be taxed to capacity at the annual "Ladies' Night." There will be novelty dances during the evening. A collation will be served in the banquet hall. Former Lecturer Charles E. Coyne is in charge of the arrangements.

Newton also has another educational treat in store through the auspices of the Knights in Newton Council acting as sponsor for the annual debate between Boston College and Holy Cross in May. The debate has usually been held in Worcester but Newton Council offered to act as home sponsor for Boston College this year and will award a suitable trophy to be contested for by the two great Catholic institutional rivals. Arrangements as to the subject and place of the debate have not been completed.

Y. M. C. A.

Mr. H. L. Harris, Vice-president of the S. A. Conover Company of Boston, will be the speaker at the Fellowship Club meeting January 10th at 6.30 P. M. Moving pictures will also be shown.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. George P. Austin wishes to thank his friends and neighbors for the flowers and kindness in his late bereavement.

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K. B. B. ACTIVITIES

The K. B. B., composed of a group of Newtonville and West Newton High School girls of St. John's Episcopal Church, under the direction of Miss Estelle G. Marsh, are entering the second half of their third year's activities. The girls have presented the following plays, "The Winning Widow," "The Truth About Jane," "Coming of Annabel," "Misfit, Cinderella," "Southern Cinderella," "The Kleptomaniac," "The Other Woman," and "Borrowed Luncheon." On November 19th they presented the initial performance of "In-laws and Outlaws" at Players' Hall, West Newton, and were honored by the presence at the performance of the authoress of the play, Mrs. Fannie Barnett Linsky.

The final play of the year, "The Head Cheese" will be given at St. John's Parish House, Friday evening, February 25th. The cast includes Eleanor Mildram, Marjorie Bolster, Katharine Nixon, Barbara Rogers, Donald Charlton, J. Clinton Roper, John Sholes and John Wakefield. The play is being coached by Miss Estelle G. Marsh. Mrs. Arthur Quimby will again be in charge of the musical program. The Misses Doris and Barbara Dalton will appear as solo dancers.

The girls earned money for the church union supper, took charge of ice cream booth at the parish Bazaar, served on several occasions at receptions and parties, at Christmas time, and took care of a family supplying food, clothes, and toys.

Members of the club were entertained at Camp Sloane by the Boy Scouts of Troop 1, Newtonville, several mothers chaperoning. The annual Christmas invitation dance was given Thursday evening, December 30th in St. John's parish House. Matrons were Mrs. Raymond Lang, Mrs. Albert Blunt, Mrs. Pitt Drew, Mrs. Ernest Nixon, Mrs. George Saunders, and Miss Estelle G. Marsh. The ushers were Stanley Brown, James Dewing, Richard Hunt, Arnold Nichols, Clinton Roper, and Alfred Zeigler. Refreshments and punch were served by Mrs. John Chapman, Mrs. David Cobb, Mrs. Frank Mildram, and Mrs. Lewis Vining. Mr. Marshall Grazier and Miss Marjorie Chapman won the elimination dance. Winthrop Clarke's orchestra furnished the music.

DEATH OF MRS. MILLER

Mrs. Addie F. Miller, the wife of Mr. Frank L. Miller, died yesterday morning at her home on Chestnut street, Waban, after an illness of five days, with pneumonia. Mrs. Miller was a native of South Boston and was 68 years of age. During her residence for thirty years in Waban she has taken an active interest in social and religious circles. She was a past president of the Waban Woman's Club and a prominent member of the Union Church. She is survived by her husband and two daughters, Mrs. James Piper of Dover, Mass., and Mrs. Harold Fernald of Waban. Funeral services will be held from her late residence, 677 Chestnut street, Waban at 2.30 P. M. on Sunday.

West Newton

—Mr. and Mrs. Willard C. Warren of Lenox Street have closed their house and will spend the balance of the winter in New York as usual.

—Mrs. Palmer York of Otis St., gave two children's parties this last week, one on Tuesday for her younger daughter Elizabeth and on Friday a party for Miss Deborah.

—The January meeting of the Men's club will take place next Friday evening in the parish house of the Second church. It will be a father's and sons' night with an entertainment of moving pictures and vocal and instrumental music.

—The engagement of Mr. Richard Bartole of Somersett Road, to Miss Margaret Olive Rix of Omaha, Neb., is announced by Dr. and Mrs. Rudolph Rix, parents of Miss Rix. Mr. Cole is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert M. Cole of West Newton. Miss Rix is a graduate of Lasell Seminary, Auburndale, and Mr. Cole is a graduate of Williams College, Williamstown. The wedding will take place early in the Spring. Mr. Cole has been spending the Christmas holidays with the Rix family in Omaha.

—Reverend and Mrs. Paul S. Phalen, at a New Year reception under the direction of the Standing Committee, received about two hundred members of the First Unitarian Society in Newton and friends on Friday, December 31, from 4.30 to 6 o'clock. The reception was in the Parish House on Washington Street, West Newton, which was tastefully decorated by Mrs. Herbert M. Andrews. Assisting Mr. and Mrs. Phalen in receiving were the Chairman of the Standing Committee, Mr. Arthur Emmons Pearson. Mrs. Pearson to the regret of all being detained in New York City through the holiday; Mr. William B. Baker, representing the Trustees and Mrs. Baker, and the Chairman of the Pastoral Committee, Mr. Norman W. Bingham, Jr., and Mrs. Bingham, Mrs. Henry Whitmore, Mrs. Robert E. Mandell and Mrs. Joseph T. Gilman poured coffee. The general direction of the whole delightful occasion was in the hands of Mrs. J. Mervin Allen, Chairman of the Social Committee, and her committee, assisted by Mrs. Wilbur D. Gilpatrick and Mrs. Roy R. Merchant of the Standing Committee.

—Mr. and Mrs. Oscar E. Nutter of Boylston street announce the engagement of their younger daughter, Miss Lois M. Nutter, to Rev. John Manley Shaw, son of Rev. William Shaw, D. D., pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Newton Upper Falls, and Mrs. Shaw, Miss Nutter has studied at Boston University and at the New England Conservatory of Music for four years, and at present, under a prominent Boston teacher, is devoting herself to the study of the organ. Mr. Shaw was graduated from DePaul University and is now a student at Boston University School of Theology. He is pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church in North Grafton.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

CHRISTMAS SEALS

The sixth week of the sale of Christmas Seals has ended with the following results in the different villages of the city:

Newton Centre	\$1,432.00
West Newton	1,231.22
Newton	1,138.00
Newtonville	1,110.05
Waban	703.35
Newton Highlands	659.06
Chestnut Hill	541.50
Auburndale	503.33
Newton Upper Falls	189.41
Newton Lower Falls	50.40

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The 19th Annual Christmas Seal Sale under the auspices of the Massachusetts Tuberculosis League is drawing to a close. Reports received at the League office indicate that the goal of \$250,000 set for the 1926 Seal Sale will be reached if those who have received seals will make prompt returns. \$225,000 has so far been reported as having been received by the affiliated organizations of the League.

NEWTON HOSPITAL

Week ending Jan. 1.—Patients in hospital 113; patients paying as much as cost of care, or more, 58; patients paying less than cost of care, 25; free patients, including babies, 30; patients treated by out patient department, 60; accident cases, 10; babies born, boys 5, girls 8; social service at homes 5, at hospital 5.

During December the hospital admitted 271 patients and discharged 278. The average daily number in its care was 109.26, largest number in any twenty-four hours, 132 and the smallest number, 94. The out patient department treated 418 patients, the x-ray clinic 34 and the x-ray department 113. There were 149 operating room cases and 39 accident cases. Forty-seven babies were born of whom one, a boy, was born early on Christmas morning. The social service department made 51 calls at the hospital, 24 at homes and transferred in its car 45 patients.

To all those who contributed so generously in many ways to make the Christmas just passed one of the happiest in many years at the hospital, the hospital wishes to express its appreciation and its thanks.

A beautiful fern for Founders Memorial Ward has been given by "A grateful ex-patient who wishes you all a Happy New Year."

Dr. Bacon of Springfield and Miss Marliette Barnaby, superintendent of the Henry Heyward Hospital at Gardner, were among recent visitors at the hospital.

Last Saturday afternoon at the New Year's Tea in the Nurses' Home, one of the guests was Miss Mary M. Ridder, a former superintendent of the hospital who celebrated that day the fortieth anniversary of the beginning of her professional career.

Mr. Julius Lucht, the librarian of the Newton Library, gave a most interesting talk to the members of the Newton Hospital Alumnae at their meeting on Wednesday afternoon.

Newtonville

—Call H. A. McDonnell, 6 Highland terrace, Newtonville, (Newton North 4674) for anything in the carpenter line.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Fitzgerald of Madison Avenue, are being congratulated on the birth of a son.

—At the annual meeting this week of the Liberty Trust Co., Mr. Charles D. Kepner was elected a director.

—Mr. and Mrs. Alexander D. Salinger of Prospect avenue, have taken an apartment at Vernon Court for the winter season.

—Mr. A. Thorndike Luard, a member of the American Guild of Organists, gave an enjoyable organ recital at the meeting of the Women's Organ Players club held in Boston last Tuesday.

—Mr. William F. Warner of Page road, has been awarded a cup offered by the Boston Herald for the largest fish caught in the large mouth bass division. Mr. Warner's fish weighed five pounds and was caught July 23 in Lake Winnipesaukee.

—Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Scott Smyth have announced the engagement of their daughter, Lillian Georgie, to Mr. J. Clark Riggs, Jr., of Battle Creek, Mich. The engagement was announced at a small dance given at their home December 30th. Miss Smyth is a graduate of Chevy Chase School, Washington, and Mr. Riggs is in the United States Naval Academy, Annapolis.

—Mrs. Minnie W. Gay, the wife of Mr. Erskine A. Gay of Washington died quite suddenly on Wednesday at a private hospital on Newtonville avenue, where she has been living since a recent operation at the Newton Hospital. Funeral services are being held this afternoon at her late home, 26 Washington park and the burial will be in Woodlawn Cemetery, Everett.

HUNNEWELL CLUB

The advent of the New Year was fittingly observed by members of the club and their ladies, with an open house last Friday night. Interest centered principally in the dancing and the numerous prizes which were offered by the committee under the direction of Mr. F. P. Scofield.

Miss Pierce, dancing with Mr. T. F. Murray, was given a string of pearl beads for the most graceful dancer; Mr. H. P. Curtiss, a box of toilet articles and Dr. C. L. Pearson, a fountain pen and pencil, for winning at bridge. The best looking man was selected by throwing the prize from the stage while the lights were out and Mr. Edgar M. Horne was the lucky man. Midnight was observed by lights out, and turning on colored lights from the stage.

Newton Upper Falls

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MR. SCOVELL DEAD

Mr. Clinton H. Scovell, senior member of the firm of Scovell, Wellington & Co., prominent public accountants and engineers of Boston, died Friday at his home on Park street, Newton. He was born at Manchester, N. H., July 15, 1876. He graduated from Harvard in 1903 with degree of A. B., and the next year won his A. M. at Harvard. During the period from 1904 to 1906 he was connected with accounting work with the Great Northern railroad and the United States Smelting, Refining and Mining Company, and in 1907 and 1908 he was engaged in public accountancy with Gunn, Richards & Co., in New York.

During 1909 and 1910 he was a partner of Harvey S. Chase Company of Boston, and in 1910 he organized Clinton H. Scovell & Co., and the firm became Scovell, Wellington & Co. Aug. 1, 1913, when C. Oliver Wellington became a partner. The firm now has nine partners and offices in New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Cleveland, Syracuse, and Springfield.

He was interested in civic affairs although he never held office. He contributed time and money to educational institutions. He was president of the Boston School of Physical Education and was a member of the American Institute of Accountants, New York Society of Certified Public Accountants, Massachusetts Society of Certified Public Accountants, American Society of Mechanical Engineers, Engineers Club, Boston Chamber of Commerce, Harvard clubs of Boston and New York, University Club, Hunnewell Club of Newton, Oakley Country Club, Union Club, the Appalachian Mountain Club and Society of Industrial Engineers.

He was married to Rosa W. Gustin (Johnson) of Charleston, S. C. March 21, 1908, who survives him, with two step-daughters, Mrs. Harold W. Stevens of Newton and Mrs. Henry Scott, Jr., of New York.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon in his home at 281 Park street.

Rev. Laurens MacLure, S. T. D., rector of Grace Church, conducted the services. Miss Georgina Shaylor of Portland, Maine, sang "Lead Kindly Light" and "Abide With Me." She was accompanied by Mrs. Vincent V. Hubbard of Newtonville.

The body was cremated at Mt. Auburn. The pall-bearers included Dr. Marshall H. Bailey of Cambridge and Harry W. Fitts of Newton, who were close friends of Mr. Scovell, and his following-named business partners: C. Oliver Wellington of Belmont; William A. Schick, Jr., of Brookline; J. Chester Crandall of Salem; Clayton H. Goodell of Springfield; Harold S. Morse of Bronxville, N. Y.; Horace G. Crockett of Glen Ridge, N. J.; William J. P. Noonan of Cleveland, O.; and F. Richmon Fletcher of Wellesley Hills.

CITY A BENEFICIARY

The will of the late Clinton H. Scovell, with an estate estimated at over \$500,000, provides for a trust fund for his family.

After the deaths of the beneficiaries, the will provides, the trustees are to pay over all principals, and accumulations. One-quarter is to go to the president of the Harvard University as a fund, the income to be used in aid of students of slender means.

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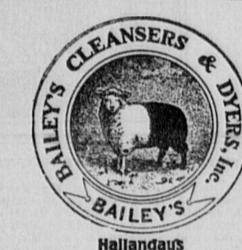
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RECENT EVENTS

Newtonville Woman's Club

The small group of women, belonging to the Newtonville Woman's Club, who waded through the snow and slush to hear the lecture given by Mrs. Grace Morrison Poole on December 29th, at the Congregational Church listened to a concise and delightful presentation of current events in America and in Europe.

Mrs. Poole touched on the events in Washington, outlining the problem of seating Senators whose acts at sometime in the past have made them ineligible. In spite of the short session Congress has passed the Alien Property Bill, and a new Immigration Bill. She outlined the President's speech to Congress in which the outstanding problem seems to be the disposal of the surplus in the Treasury.

In contrast to American prosperity, Mrs. Poole emphasized the suffering of the nations across the water. Though France has the appearance of superficial prosperity, inflation has caused the fall of the franc to such an extent that many individual savings have vanished.

On her visit to Geneva in the summer, she attended a World Court conference and heard a discussion of America's Fifth Reservation, which is the only one that will not be accepted by the World Court. Her visit to the League of Nations on the day that Germany was voted in she described with vivid intensity. Her pictures of the two dramatic figures, Briand and Stresemann, were particularly moving. After the session was over Mrs. Poole said that Mount Blanc could be seen at Geneva. She wondered if it was a symbol of "Peace on Earth, Good Will Toward Men," on this day when the two greatest enemies joined hands in the League of Nations.

Newton Centre Woman's Club

The chairman of the Music Committee, Mrs. H. A. Nissen, presented two of the Club members on the afternoon of December 30th, who gave their audience a musical program of rare quality.

All the Club afternoons since the opening of the year have been maintained at a high level, and Daughters Day, December 30th, lifted it even higher.

Said one of the critics—one who is in the "know," "That program alone, was—to each Club member—well worth the Club fee for the whole year!"

The two artists were Mrs. Moses H. Gulesian and Mrs. David S. Beyer, who are composers as well as performers, and who gave several of their own compositions among their various numbers.

Lovers of Milne's "When We Were Very Young," had an opportunity to enjoy him—as Mrs. Beyer sang a couple of his poems.

Mrs. Gulesian paid the audience a fine compliment when she called it "an inspiring one."

The pleasure was mutual—and just as little Christopher Robin thanked God for his pretty new jacket—so the audience felt that it was fitting to thank Him for Mrs. Gulesian and Mrs. Beyer for giving them so rare a treat, and giving it so graciously.

The Club has a wealth of talent in its membership which was demonstrated in another direction on the night of December 29th. Mrs. Rollo Hudson showed fine executive ability in the efficient manner in which she conducted the very successful and attractive party for the Juniors. And the young people themselves were such as "to fill the eye" as the saying goes.

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Centre Book Shop will address the Club on Monday, January 10th, at 10:30 on "The Book Trail in England and France," being an account of his experiences last summer in the purchasing of rare and valuable old books. The Dramatics Committee, with Mrs. Albert R. Speare, chairman for the day, offers a reading, Sheridan's "School for Scandal," on Tuesday, January 11th, at 10 A. M.

The Department of the American Home, Mrs. J. M. Densmore, chairman, announces the first of their second series of lessons in Italian Hemstitching and Embroideries, under the instruction of Mrs. Di Persio, on Tuesday, January 11th, at 10 A. M. Under the same department there is also offered one lesson on Canvas Work by Miss Emma Sylvester, on Wednesday, January 12th, at 10 A. M.

The Bridge Party on January 12th, at 2:30 P. M., with Mrs. William S. Radway, chairman, is looked forward to as one of the pleasant social events of the Club year.

Newtonville Woman's Club

The first meeting of the Literature Class of the Newtonville Woman's Club will be held January 11th, in the Congregational Church. Miss Mary Whitney, Assistant Director of the Children's Bookshop, connected with the Women's Educational and Industrial Union, on Boylston St., Boston, will speak on children's books. Any member of the club, mothers, grandmothers, or aunts, who may be interested, will be welcome.

The Italian Cut Work Class will open January 13th, at the home of Mrs. Nathan C. Jordan, 318 Walnut St. Anyone interested will please get in touch with Mrs. George E. Eames immediately.

Auburndale Review Club

Members of the Auburndale Review Club will enjoy hearing about the wonders of the southern states for their next meeting, on January 11th. The Club will meet at 10 A. M. at the home of Mrs. Frank F. Davidson, 59 Woodland Road. Mrs. Edward J. Frost will read a paper on "Great Caves, Other Rock Formations; and Proposed Appalachian Reservations." Miss Margaret Haskell will then tell of "The Great Dismal Swamp, and the Everglades," and she will be followed by Mrs. C. W. Blood, whose subject will be "Boston to Miami by Houseboat; the Inland Route and Sea Islands." Altogether it will be a morning's entertainment that will make one feel one has travelled extensively through these many strange and interesting places.

The Social Science Club

The next meeting of the Social Science Club will be on Wednesday, January 12th, at 10 o'clock. At this meeting the first paper on China, the study topic for the year, will be read by Miss Elinor Merrill, a member. Her subject will be "China, the Land."

Newton Community Club

On Thursday afternoon, January 13th, the members of the Newton Community Club are to have the pleasure of listening to the reading of Bernard Shaw's "Candida," by Mr. Phidela Rice, dean of the Leland Powers School. Mr. Rice has a justly deserved—and won—reputation in his field. A reception to new members will follow the program. This meeting is an open meeting to all Newton women as guests.

Boston Woman's Civics Club

"Child Welfare" will be the topic for the meeting of the Boston Woman's Civics Club Wednesday afternoon, the 12th, at 2:30 P. M. in Hotel Brunswick. Mrs. May Dickinson Kimball, president of the Club, and chairman of Mothercraft work in the State and (Continued on Page 11)

COMING EVENTS

Shakespeare Club of Newton Highlands

Mrs. S. L. Eaton entertains the members of the Shakespeare Club at her home, 340 Lake Avenue, for their meeting on Saturday, January 8th. The Quiz, which includes discussion, repartee, and comment, and which proves how well members are acquainted with the first two acts of Shakespeare's amusing "Taming of the Shrew," will be conducted by Mrs. W. E. Moore.

C. L. S. C. of Newton Highlands

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Middlesex, ss. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Helen L. Buchanan.

WHEREAS, a copy of the will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Margarette H. Butters who prays that letters testamentary may be issued, subject to the execution of a bond, and by Margarette H. Butters, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, at Cambridge in said County, on the twenty-sixth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

The said petition is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Free Press, a newspaper published in Newton on the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering personally to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, John C. Leggat, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register. Jan. 7-14-21.

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The Travel Class will meet with Mrs. Louie A. Bacon on Monday, January 10th, at 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Howard Lester will present a paper on "Spanish People and Customs." Mrs. Arthur H. Holmberg, a paper on "Spanish Literature and Writers." There will be current events and a roll call.

Mrs. Shepard Crain, soloist, and Mrs. Hugo Sharp, pianist, will add to the enjoyment by their musical talents.

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—Mrs. Clement Smith and son of Washington street spent the week in New London, Conn.

—Miss Lillian Searle of Franklin street has returned from a vacation spent in Lowell, Mass.

—Mr. William T. Rich, Jr., of Washington street, is confined to the house with an attack of grippe.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Gay of Vernon Court are leaving tomorrow for Altemont Springs, Florida.

—Mr. H. Leland and Miss Carrie Leland of Maine are visiting Mrs. L. D. Towle of Franklin street.

—Mr. and Mrs. William E. Earle of Maple Ave., have returned from a trip to Washington, D. C.

—Harold M. Root of Bremore road spent his Christmas vacation in New York City and Westfield, N. J.

—Mrs. J. P. Eustis and Mr. Warner Eustis of Washington street left Tuesday for California and Honolulu.

—Miss Margaret Bascom of Washington street spent a few days this week with college friends in Salem, Mass.

—Winter hats in many styles, may be bought at one-half price at The Florence E. Rand Hat Shop, 433 Centre Street. Advt.

—Miss Helen Spurrier of Waverley avenue entertained about twenty of her young friends at bridge last Friday afternoon.

—Miss Muriel Hall, who has been visiting her sister, Charlotte Hall of Linder Terrace, returned this week to her home in Greenfield, Mass.

—Mr. Robert Person, who has been visiting his brother, Mr. Carleton Person of Hollis street has returned to his studies at Williams College.

—The item last week that Miss Elizabeth Hahn had accepted a position in the University of Chicago, should have read Miss Ethel Hahn.

—Mrs. E. O. Schermerhorn, who spent the holidays with her son, Mr. Horace Schermerhorn, has returned to the home of her sister in New York.

—Mr. George Ainsworth, who with Mrs. Ainsworth (Ethel Hutchinson) has been spending a year in Europe, has returned and is visiting friends in Newton this week.

—Many friends called on Mrs. H. C. Hardon of Copley street New Year's Day to congratulate her on her ninety-first birthday. Mrs. Hardon is well and greatly enjoyed seeing her friends and neighbors.

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—Jack Gibson of Bennington street returned this week to Dartmouth. —Miss Kathleen Clark of Washington street spent the weekend in Portland, Maine.

—Mrs. Clara Haaka of Mt. Ida St. has returned from a visit with relatives in Northampton, Mass.

—Mr. Victor M. Cutler was the speaker today at the luncheon of the Boston Chamber of Commerce.

—Miss Eleanor Church of Bennington street, who was somewhat injured in a recent coasting accident, is rapidly recovering.

—At the annual meeting this week of the Building Trades Employers Association of Boston, Mr. Albert D. Howlett of Newtonville avenue was re-elected president.

—Mrs. Francis S. Fuller of Fairview street and Miss Eleanor Gibbs of Hunnewell avenue are spending the week in New York.

—Mr. and Mrs. Sidney R. Smith have closed their Hunnewell avenue house and will spend the winter at the Hotel Brunswick, Boston.

—Dr. Robert Reid is spending the holiday season with his daughter, Mrs. William Stewart and her family in Spring Glen, New Haven, Conn.

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BIRTHS

WILSON: on December 26 to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur A. Wilson of 101 Thorn avenue, Auburndale, a son, JEWETT; on December 29 to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Jewett of 9 Bonwood street, Newtonville, a daughter.

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GIRL SCOUT CONFERENCE

Metropolitan District Conference In Charge of Local Girl Scouts Over Week-end

The first session of the Girl Scout Conference held at Newton, January 7, 8 and 9, was opened by Miss Ethel DeMille of Newton Centre. She spoke a few words of welcome to the many khaki-clad girls who had gathered together from all Metropolitan Division. Mrs. Frank A. Day, Newton Commissioner, Mrs. Charles Mosley, Metropolitan Commissioner, and Mrs. Arthur Hart, Massachusetts Commissioner, also spoke a few words to the girls. Miss Vera Johnson from the Western Division and Miss Rachel Battelle from the Eastern Division brought greetings from their friends and wished us success in our conference. Miss Bettina King of Melrose conducted some very amusing games which helped the scouts to get acquainted with each other.

Reports were read from Newton, Quincy, Reading, and Somerville. Miss Nancy Nichols, the drum major of the Lexington Bugle and Drum Corps, spoke very enthusiastically on "The Value of the Bugle and Drum Corps." This teaches clean play, and obedience to orders. The competition keeps the standard of work high and arouses the interest of the girls.

Then Stoneham, Wakefield, Waltham, and Watertown reported and the discussions were resumed. "Community and Home Service" was the topic of great interest to the many delegates and guests. Many helpful suggestions were given which should increase the amount of service done by the scouts. Wellesley, Winchester, Winthrop and Woburn ended the reports and the next subject "The Relation of the Scout" was taken up. The Brownie is a little scout and is taught three things; to be obedient, helpful, and cheerful. The Brownie work is one way to keep the older girl interested.

The last subject was on "The Correct Uniform." The Needham girls demonstrated wrong points and then a girl correctly dressed. Miss Dorothea Salma spoke on the subject. This ended the business session.

Saturday evening the public was invited. Miss Ethel DeMille welcomed the parents and friends and Miss Francis Howard read the report of the conference. The Lexington Bugle and Drum Corps played a few pieces which thrilled the audience. The Lincoln girls gave a very fine exhibit of folk dancing which included country dances and Morris dances. Newton then put on a very interesting pageant called "The History of the Flag." It was a series of tableaux each representing a step in the making of our flag. Miss Sarah Louise Arnold, National President of Girl Scouts, then delivered a most inspiring talk. The meeting was closed with Taps.

Sunday afternoon the scouts again

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WINS PRIZE

Playground Judged Among Best in Country

The Playground department of the city is justly proud of the fact that in the recent competition for the greatest progress in playground beautification during 1926, the Hawthorne street playground in the Nonantum district was awarded one of the prizes, consisting of \$50 in cash and \$50 worth of nursery stock.

Thirty-three cities were awarded prizes, Newton and Turners Falls being the only winners in Massachusetts. The prizes were offered by the Harmon foundation of New York and were intended to stimulate beautiful and cultural surroundings in playground work.

Mr. Ernst Hermann, superintendent of playgrounds in Newton, said that children will go a mile farther to play at a beautiful playground, passing by those which are not beautiful, for children love beautiful things. He further said that Newton did not enter its most beautiful playground in the competition, rather, we put our worst foot forward so to speak. We wanted to show what could be done. The Hawthorne street playground is in a densely populated area drawing about 2000 children from a quarter mile radius. Our aim was to insure an attractive landscape effect without interfering with play space—to maintain the utility measures as well as the landscape features. The addition of flowers, shrubs and landscaping was an important factor, and another that was influential was the minimum of expense and the large community cooperation extended.

The awards were made from photographs, drawings and descriptions showing conditions before and after the beautifying work.

NEWTON CHORAL SOCIETY

The Newton Choral Society has had very bad luck on weather so far this month. The night of the first rehearsal was rainy and the walks were very slippery, yet a good number got out considering the weather, and a good start was made on the work of the winter in presenting "Hiawatha's Wedding Feast," by Coleridge-Taylor.

The second rehearsal was last Tuesday night, at the time of one of the heaviest snow storms of the winter, when the walks were still snowy, and the attendance was small. As the director had a slight attack of grip, it seemed necessary to postpone the rehearsal for one week. This is the first time in the seven years

NORUMBEGA DISTRICT

Semi-Annual Meeting to Take Place Next Week

The Norumbega District Sunday School Association will hold its semi-annual meeting of pastors, Sunday School superintendents and church representatives, the group known as the Advisory Council of Religious Education, on Tuesday evening, January 18, at the Newton Y. M. C. A. Supper will be served at 6:30 P. M.

At this time the plans for the School of Religious Education for Church School teachers will be presented, said school to begin January 24th, and other projects for the Association work during the coming months will be discussed.

Professor W. L. Hanson, of Boston University School of Religious Education, will be present, if possible, to talk on the new tests and measurements used in Religious Educational work. In the public school such standardized tests and measurement scales have been used in progressive communities for ten or twelve years; the principles underlying these are now being adapted for use in church school work.

Through the proper use of such material, standards of achievement may be developed that will give a new impetus to religious instruction. It will also be possible to compare the standing of individual pupils in any church, or the relative standing of church schools in a given community.

The Indiana Survey of Religious Education, conducted by the Inter-Church World Movement, was the first instance of any wide use of such tests in this field, for the purpose of discovering whether or not Indiana church school pupils were actually learning Bible material.

Professor Hanson has revised and improved these Indian tests and other tests. He issues them in such form that they can now be given to adults or children of different ages.

If others not included in the membership of the Advisory Council should desire to attend this meeting, they may communicate with Miss Lullona Barker, Executive Secretary, Telephone Newton North 3012.

History of the organization that a rehearsal has been given up. It is hoped that the fates will be more propitious next Tuesday night, and many candidates for membership who have expressed a desire to come in should be present at that time. The rehearsal is at Technical high school hall at 7:30.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Welfare Bureau Extends Work in Past Year

The Family Welfare Department reports that during the year 1926 the Bureau served 321 families; 105 of these families had not been known previously. 376 letters were received regarding clients; 1177 letters were written in behalf of clients. 2040 visits were made in the homes and in behalf of clients; 444 calls were made at the Bureau's office by clients, and 233 calls at the office by consultants in behalf of clients. There were 2197 telephone conferences or interviews, making a total of 5960 interviews with and in behalf of clients.

The average man and woman does not think of tools in connection with the welfare worker. Nevertheless, the welfare worker has her tools, and the Interview is her pre-eminent tool. A large share of the constructive work with families is developed thru the interview. During the 5960 interviews made by the Welfare Bureau during 1926, friendly contacts were established, helpful advice was given, guidance to the perplexed, sympathy to the troubled and aged, instruction, enlightenment, and inspiration. Sickn

ess was the outstanding disability in the families served. Unemployment came next, then underemployment, insufficient income, old age.

Problems dealing with old age are very difficult. Not only must the welfare worker have knowledge and skill but lovingkindness and patience. During 1926, the Bureau made a distinct contribution of service and relief to a number of aged women.

In one of our villages was a pert little old woman of 86, cozily living alone in a basement tenement of two rooms. She was old. She was alone. When she was referred to the Bureau by her landlord, she was nearly penniless. The Bureau's visitor discovered there were two able-bodied sons. These sons were interviewed and promised to pay a weekly sum thru the Bureau toward their mother's support. The short, cold days of the winter strengthened that landlord and neighbors telephoned that some other plan should be made for her. They made no attempt to persuade the little woman to consider another home—that she belonged to the Newton Welfare Bureau, and the Bureau's visitor called twice and three times a week thru a period of months with that job in mind. At last, the little woman gave her consent, and one of the sons was persuaded to open his home to his mother, where a short time later she died surrounded by comfort and considerate care.

World War

The Newton Welfare Bureau is a local organization but its interests, thru its clients extend into other countries.

Mr. B., a miner, found work so unsatisfactory in Scotland that he thought he'd try his fortune in the United States and with a 16-year-old

son.

Franklin once said, "If you would be wealthy, think of saving as well as of getting."

At another time he said, "Little strokes fell great Oaks."

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RECEPTION TO TEACHERS

Mayor and School Committee Sponsor First Affair of Kind in City

At the High School Auditorium last Friday evening, "The first function of its kind ever held in any city," to quote the words of School Committee member Joseph F. Lockett, took place, when the Mayor and the School Committee of Newton gave a reception in honor of the teachers of the Newton schools. In addition to the teachers, all the aldermen, the heads of the various City Departments, and members of the Boards and Commissions of Newton were invited to attend. While the members of the Boards and Commissions were well represented, but few of the aldermen came.

The affair started at 7:30, when the several hundreds of teachers present, together with those members of the City Government who attended the reception, passed along the receiving line which included Mayor and Mrs. Childs, Judge Michael J. Murray of Boston, Mr. Maxwell Hutchins and Mrs. Hutchins, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Hutchins, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Church, Mr. and Mrs. William F. Coan, Mr. George H. Tracy, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Lockett, Mr. and Mrs. Grosvenor Calkins, Mr. and Mrs. Ulysses G. Wheeler, and Miss Isabel Bragg. Following the reception, which was held in the gymnasium, the assemblage went to the auditorium, where Joseph F. Lockett, in behalf of the School Committee, welcomed the teachers. In opening his remarks, he observed that after having been in the receiving line, he felt assured that Newton has the youngest and handsomest teachers in the State. Mr. Lockett was referring more particularly to the lady teachers, although the male teachers in the Newton schools have their share of male pulchritude.

Mr. Lockett referred to the hundreds of young and old men and women who attended the recent reunion of the High School Alumni, thus showing their appreciation for the school and their former teachers. He said, "Next to their parents, persons appreciate their teachers. Because of complex conditions today the work of school teachers has multiplied. Many persons feel that teachers have sinecures, but I think they have difficult jobs."

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THE WEEK IN NEWTON SPORTS

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ON WAY TO TITLE

Newton High Hockey Team Sweeping
Over All Opposition

The Newton high school hockey team is apparently on the way to another interscholastic league championship. To date it has swept over all opposition including that of Melrose, one of the schools that figured in last year's triple tie. Melrose was a comparatively easy victim and was turned back 3 to 1 last week. Melrose in turn came back and defeated Cambridge Latin in an extra period on Monday. Newton and Cambridge will not take the ice against each other until the last day of this month at Russell Field rink. In the meanwhile, Newton should not run up against any team that will cause it great opposition.

Yesterday afternoon at Stoneham the orange and black took the home sextet into camp 4 to 2 thereby vanquishing the only other team that was conceded a chance to figure in the running. A small rink bothered Newton a little in the first period and they were rather slow in getting started. Captain Stubbs played a fine game and tallied three goals with Spain bringing the count up to four. The net work of Thompson, and the defensive playing of Proctor and Andres were big factors in the victory.

On Wednesday the Boston High School of Commerce six gave Newton a practice session on Bullough's pond. The orange and black ran up a 6 to 0 score despite rather poor ice. Newton's forward line was too clever for the Hub sextet. Brown tallied three times, Spain twice and Andres once.

Monday afternoon Captain Stubbs wallowed Brookline high 7 to 0 at Bullough's pond and obtained sweet revenge for the defeat in football at the Wealthy Towners' hands. Spain turned in four points before he gave way to Brown at centre ice. Stubbs, Wilker-son, and Andres tallied the other three counters. Harold Andres and John Proctor played their first game for this year's outfit having been declared eligible this week. These two defense men are among the best in school hockey and it no doubt added fifty per cent to the orange and black's defensive strength when they returned. In the first two games of the season last week against Melrose and Dorchester Wilkerson and Bennett, both members of the football squad, played the defense and performed creditably. Even without Andres and Proctor the Newton six was the class of the circuit with the two sub-defense men on the ice. Now unless beset by injuries it looks as though Newton was well on its way to not only a league title but a state title as well.

Last Saturday Stubbs and his team-mates had no difficulty in shutting out the Dorchester high team at Bullough's pond 6 to 0. Stubbs and Spain each counted twice and L. Powers and Brown once each.

The regular six, consisting of Stubbs and R. Powers on the wings, Spain at centre ice, Andres and Proctor on the defense and Thompson in the net can be replaced with a secondary team which is almost on a par with the team just mentioned. This team consists of Champagne and L. Powers on the wings Brown at centre ice, Wilkerson and Bennett on the defense and White at goal.

Such an early season start augers well for the remainder of the winter. Although undefeated Captain Stubbs and his mates have not hit their real stride. They have displayed untold power to date, but there is a slight lack of teamwork and cohesion which should make them unbeatable once it is ironed out.

With five games tucked away under their belts Newton has rung up 26 counters against but three goals for their opponents. Spain leads with 10 to his credit, while Captain Stubbs follows with six and Brown with four. Melrose was the only six that could penetrate Newton's defense until yesterday, when Stoneham annexed two points.

Newton was fortunate in losing but one player, Captain Guy Holbrook, from last year's squad. The remainder of the squad is still at school and having played together last year, and several of the boys are playing their second, third and fourth years, should display the best teamwork of any team in the circuit. At present the Newton outfit threatens to make a runaway event of the league series. No team as yet has shown strength enough to displace the Garden City team. For

several years past Coach Dr. Martin has been turning out first-class hockey teams and ones which are nearly always in the running for the title. This year is no exception and if the games that have been played to date are any criterion the team this season seems to have things pretty much its own way.

Overconfidence and a flock of injuries are the only two possible difficulties which the local squad might seem likely to encounter. The latter, if they come, can not be sidetracked.

The question of overconfidence, however, is most likely to crop out in schoolboy circles unless guarded against. The Newton coaching system is one which foresees such possibilities and has guarded against such occurrences.

INTERSCOLASTIC LEAGUE STANDING

	won	lost	tied	pts.
NEWTON	3	0	0	6
Melrose	2	1	0	4
Stoneham	1	1	1	3
Arlington	1	0	0	2
Cambridge Lat.	1	1	0	2
Brookline	1	2	0	2
Belmont	0	2	1	1
Ridge Tech	0	2	0	0

TWO RECORDS SMASHED

Fullerton and Hammond Set New Marks at Interclass Meet

Two school records were smashed at the annual interclass meet of the high school track squad last Saturday night. Captain Wally Fullerton lowered the record for the 30-yard hurdles one-fifth of a second to an even

four seconds, while Ted Hammond cleared the bar in the high jump at a height of 5 feet 11 inches, displacing the old mark of 5 ft. 10 1/4 inches. Both of the old records were established by Arthur Roberts about a decade ago.

The seniors easily won the meet with 48 points, which was just twice the total of their nearest rivals, the juniors, who placed second. The freshmen annexed thirteen points, while the sophomores brought up the rear with five.

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Several of the eight events were closely contested. The three field events were called first. Macy, '27, headed the pellet 45 ft. 5 in. for first place with Gatchell of the juniors a scant half inch behind him. Brown, '28, took third. Hamond added to the seniors' lead by taking first in both jumps. His record mark in the high jump and a leap of 9 ft. 8 3/4 in. in the broad jump being the best. Ebelhare, '28, took second in the high with Fine and Rogers, both juniors, tied for third. Brown and Fine annexed second and third in the broad jump for four points for the juniors.

Fullerton won the dash handily in 3 4/5s with Kollmeyer of the junior class taking second over Cole, '27. Cole finished second to his captain in the 30-yard hurdles and Brewer, '27, third.

Brewer won the 300-yd. run with a five yard lead over Reed of the juniors, who pushed him hard until the last lap. Bearisto took third. Kollmeyer, who will undoubtedly score many points for the orange and black this season, ran a nice race in the 600 for five points for the juniors. Cummings and McManus, seniors, gathered the remaining places.

Jim McCrudden, '27, won the 1000-yard run, in spite of a sore heel, over Hession and Maybe, his classmates but there was not much distance between the three.

The final event on the card was the relay which was won by the senior four, consisting of Cole, Stuart, Cummings and Fullerton, in easy fashion.

Fine, Rodney, and Smith starred in the junior and intermediate events.

SWIMMING SEASON NEAR

Coach "Joe" Carling is rapidly rounding the high school mermen into shape for the coming season which is scheduled to start a week from Wednesday with the Boston High School of Commerce in the Newton "Y" pool. There are a large number of veterans back again and the team should have a good year.

Soile, Lodge, and Greany will compete in the short dash. Green, Esson, and Bafford will be counted on for points in the dive. The breast stroke will be well taken care of by Serkin, Esson, and Stratton, while Wakefield and Hogan will be entered in the backstroke swim in most of the meets.

Captain Merrill and Osborne are the leading performers in the century and two hundred yard swims.

Last year's relay quartet, consisting of Serkin, Lodge, Osborne, and Soule are again available, although Captain Merrill will probably earn a place on the team. Before the winter is over the swimming fans will see some keen competition for places on the relay four.

The schedule is as follows:

Commerce	At Home	January 19
Ridge	At Home	January 26
English	At Home	February 4
Exeter	Away	February 14
Huntington	Away	February 17
Cambridge	Away	February 25
Brookline	Away	March 3
Cambridge	At Home	March 9
M. I. T. Fresh.	At Home	March 19

Williams college hockey team staged a 6 to 1 victory over Springfield on Wednesday at Williamstown. Blaney, at centre ice, tallied twice before giving way to Dwight Shepler of Newtonville.

Capt. Bill Ellison played whirlwind

hockey Wednesday night to send the Dartmouth six back to Hanover under the sting of a 4 to 2 defeat.

The Newton youth scored three times unassisted and his aggressiveness and speed made him a dangerous man at all times.

He outguesed Sherman, the Dartmouth goaltender, to slap the puck past him on two occasions in

the early part of the game on long

shots at least forty feet from the cage.

On the first one he drew the guardian

to one side of the cage and then shot

the puck into the other corner. His

second sailed between the goalie's legs.

His third tally, the final goal for

the Crimson, was also a long accurate fast drive across the body of the

goalkeeper and catching in the

far corner of the cage.

Dartmouth and Harvard are rated

at the top in intercollegiate hockey in

the East. By virtue of its win the

other night Harvard is sitting on top.

Later in the season the two teams

will meet again and Dick Rogers and

the remainder of the Green team are

planning a sweet revenge.

Albert M. Lyon of Newtonville was

the honored guest at a dinner on Wed-

nesday night given by Judge Fuchs,

president of the Boston Braves. Mr.

Lyon, who has always been interested

in all sports, was recently elected

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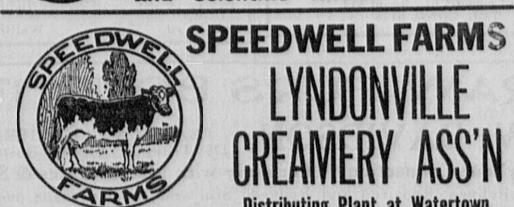
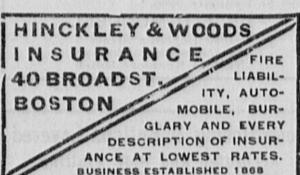
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ONE THING AND ANOTHER

Written by EVERETT D. G. BENTLEY

Now that it is possible to telephone from New York to London it seems as if we might hope for a bus line between Newton Centre and Newton Corner.

If I was a manufacturer or dealer in men's headgear I have an idea I should be worried at the growing custom of going bareheaded. Personally, I am strong for the practice in summer or fall but I can't yet make up my mind to try it in the dead of winter. As far as that goes I haven't yet had any barber try to sell me a remedy for baldness, which shows I must be fairly well equipped with hair.

But it seems to me a little daring to stroll along in the icy blasts with nothing between your cranium and the snow-laden skies but the natural thatch on your poll. I can be as reckless as the next man in such simple matters as defying convention. At the same time I feel lonesome without a covering for my head and so I haven't yet joined the hatless hosts.

Chatting recently with a loyal reader of this column we got to talking over the advantages which the boys nowadays enjoy as compared with the youthful days of their elders. My friend asked me if I didn't think this was a sort of "ready-made" age and the youngsters missed a lot of sport for that very reason. Said he, "When we played hockey we had to cut our hockey sticks. Most any kind of wood was satisfactory providing we got hold of a branch that could be fashioned into a good hockey club. Now half our fun came from the tramp in the woods which had to be made before we found what we wanted.

"The same thing was true of our sleds and double-runners. They were home-made and we had a part in making them. We took pride in our efforts and in our results which I am pleased to say were successful, or almost always. It was the tax on our ingenuity and invention that gave us the thrill of doing something for ourselves. I am sure we would not have had quarter the enjoyment had all those things been provided for us ready-made."

Just as we were assembling the above paragraph for this column, the husky young man who serves as my assistant, displayed a pair of shoes, which, he announced, were the very latest thing in skating boots. He showed me how there were holes made in the soles in which the skates might fit. I must admit it looked like a very excellent idea and his assurance made me all the more interested.

All the time I was thinking back and I recalled the old custom of cutting junks out of the heels of one's boots in order that the skates might clamp on more securely. Of course that was before rubber heels and simi-

lar luxuries. The modern skating shoes are designed for that purpose just as are golf shoes for golf. For my part I am in favor of it.

However inclined I am to believe this to be a "ready-made" age I can't help wondering if that hasn't always been the view of succeeding generations.

I am not one of those who worried over or felt pleased at the implied recognition when Mayor Childs took a fling at the critics who have said the city's financial condition is not what it should be. If I had any knowledge of the city's finances and believed such information might well be communicated to my readers, I should have brazenly announced my opinion whether it was or was not in accordance with that of the mayor.

After all, isn't this largely a point of view? If we fail to agree with a man we unhesitatingly declare him to be wrong, thereby intimating that we ourselves are perfectly right.

The Mayor can't get me into any argument over his administration of the city's finances—nor can anybody else for that matter. I know that my tax bill, water bill, etc., are never too low and so I'm not worrying over the municipal treasury.

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I feel I should be neglecting my readers if I did not pass along this story of a very intimate friend of mine in the theatrical profession brought to me from the other side.

It has to do with a man and his wife, who hold the most prominent places in the cinema world and who not so long ago made a tour of the globe. Of course the peoples of every land had seen both in the "movies" although never in the same picture.

When it came to Spain the couple wanted to be presented to His Royal Highness King Alfonso. The United States Ambassador was willing to arrange it and did so without delay.

Now this great man of the motion picture firmament was quite as "fussed" as any mortal over the preliminaries. He wanted to know how he should dress, what he should do and all those things.

The Ambassador coached him properly and directed what dress the movie man should wear. Now the latter wanted to make a complete hit so he wrote out a very flowery speech and rehearsed it. In it he described his pride at the opportunity of appearing at court, told how the people of United States and Spain held each other in high regard, etc., etc.

All went beautifully—quite as planned—including the speech. When the movie actor had concluded his remarks and waited for the royal reply, King Alfonso, placing his hand on the other's shoulder, said, "By the way, what ever became of Fatty Arbuckle?"

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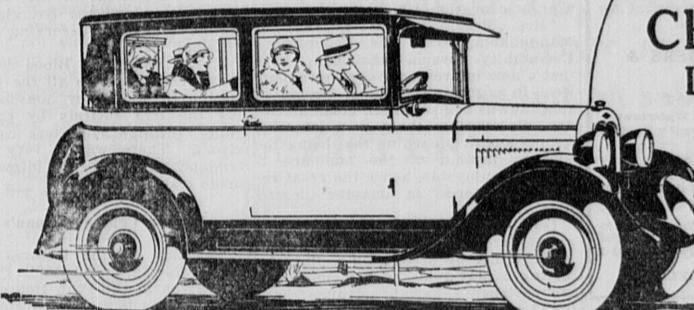


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STATE FEDERATION

Clubwomen will welcome the list of moving pictures published in State Federation Topics with comments as to their desirability. Your editor recommends that they cut and paste these to cardboard—and DO ACCORDINGLY. After all, it is the expression of public opinion, in patronizing the clean, worth-while stories, and boycotting the trashy ones, that will make producers decide that the American people, true to the name, do not thrive on tainted produce!

GENERAL FEDERATION

Along the same line of thought come these statements from the General Federation, which, in the case of moving pictures, proves that patronage or boycotting will accomplish more than any amount of mere disgusted discussion.

"That the interest and influence of Club women in public affairs involving the moral and artistic aspects of amusements is not underestimated by great producers is manifested by the fact that Cecil B. DeMille called into conference leading executives of Los Angeles Women's Clubs, before photographing was started on his production "The King of Kings." The executives were: Mrs. J. B. Lorbeer, president of Los Angeles district, California Federation of Women's Clubs; Mrs. Alfred Graham, state motion picture chairman for California, and Mrs. E. H. Jacobs, motion picture chairman for the Los Angeles district of the State Federation."

Drama or Literature Chairmen in Newton looking for ideas may find these quotations from the General Federation—together with source for aid and information—of timely interest:

"National Drama Week, February 13th to 19th, sponsored by the Community Drama Revision of the General Federation of Women's Clubs and the Drama League of America, is a nation-wide effort to educate the public to appreciate and demand good drama and to stress the importance of the theatre as a social force and as a great educational movement."

"Mrs. Pearl Bennett Broxam of Manquoketa, Iowa, the Federation's Community Drama chairman, says that a new interest is everywhere manifest in community drama. People in small towns and suburban communities are discovering their own creative genius and are learning that being the players instead of the audience is twice as enjoyable, hence the great revival of interest in amateur theatricals."

Hundreds of Clubs already have plans for the celebration of drama week, either by presenting a play; by having a play read, each member being assigned a part in advance; having a play read by a professional; or having a noted and qualified speaker on some phase of the drama. Drama conferences and drama classes are planned, play writing contests will be sent out by radio. Detailed suggestions for Club celebrations and programs may be secured from the Drama League of America, 59 East Van Buren Street, Chicago."

RECENT EVENTS

Auburndale Woman's Club

The first of the lectures by Miss Grace Weston, on "Antique Furniture" was given in the Club House on Monday morning to an audience of Newton Centre Woman's Club members that numbered one more than the number of ladies who met to organize the Club forty years ago. And in other parts of the building as many, and more, of the club members were either listening to a lecture on books, or were assigning tables for the Rainbow Review, which occurs in February. That January and February are filled with interesting events for this Club will be seen by reading their notices under "Coming Events."

State Federation

Clubwomen will be glad to know that our "leading ladies" of the State Federation are being (or have been by this time, perhaps) welcomed at the firesides of the "seats of the mighty."

This week, and all certainly wish them a most pleasurable and valuable trip to our nation's capitol.

Mrs. Grace Morrison Poole of Brookton, Recording Secretary of the General Federation of Women's Clubs and candidate for the office of First Vice-President of that organization; Mrs. Frederick Glazier Smith, General Federation Director for Massachusetts; Mrs. Harry A. Burnham, Chairman of the Division of Home-Making in the Department of the American Home of the General Federation, and Mrs. Arthur Devens Potter, President of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs, are representing this state at the meeting of the board of directors of the General Federation in session at Washington. Mrs. Smith gives her report as Chairman of the Membership Committee of the national organization and also as the state director and Mrs. Burnham gives the report of her division.

Apart from the many executive and department conferences, a program of social entertainment has been arranged for the delegates which includes being received by President and Mrs. Coolidge; a tea for members of the board given Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Herbert Hoover in her home; a conference luncheon in the home of Mrs. Virginia White Speer, President of the State Presidents; a visit to the Bureau of Standards and a reception Tuesday evening.

Among the special subjects considered at the sessions of the board meetings are the Federation Foundation, the enlargement of Federation News and many vital topics of interest to women's organizations, about which we shall hear before many days.

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Massachusetts is celebrating its first anniversary of radio publicity this month, according to Mrs. Frederick G. Smith of Somerville, Massachusetts, director in the General Federation of Women's Clubs, who is here for the Board meeting of the General Federation, which opens today.

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RECEPTION TO NEWTON TEACHERS

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every day I have the opportunity to develop in this city a better spirit among all races, creeds and kinds. I would not want to hold the job for ten minutes."

Judge Michael J. Murray was introduced by Mr. Lockett and in opening his address referred to his early school days at Flitchburg. He said "that as we grow older, we look back on our school days and the faces of our teachers loom up and our appreciation of them increases." He asserted, "that as we become older, we realize our heaviest crosses are those of our own making. Persons spend much time telling of their attendant obligations." "After home and church," said Judge Murray, "comes the school: and schools are able to do what the churches cannot. They are helpful to a community in just such measure as they develop boys and girls to meet the responsibility of citizenship. Teachers, in common with all, can accomplish more if each finds out his or her individual shortcomings. Most misunderstandings in life could be avoided if we realized our own failings. Eliminate all nasty prejudice along lines of race, religion and social distinction. Abraham Lincoln was great because of his love for all mankind. In promoting good citizenship, teachers can do more than any class in Newton. I have grown impatient with some people because of their race or religious prejudice. God did not bestow blessings or talents on any one race to the exclusion of other races." He alluded to the disparaging comments made by some at Italians, and stated that the Italian race, more than any other, has contributed to the development of modern civilization. He said, "We are here, sprung from many races, because Columbia invited our forebears to these shores." He condemned the mixing of politics with religion and contended that should race and religious prejudice run rampant in this country, strife as horrible as that in the late war would ensue. He told the teachers it is within their power to raise a generation of boys and girls free from hatred.

"What right have I," asked Judge Murray, "to inquire whence comes my neighbor, or what church he goes to?" "We are responsible in religion to GOD alone." He commented "that religion is something we are born into, and he advised every father and mother in Newton to take their children to their church. He said, "that the father should take the children, whenever possible, and not shift this duty to the mother. When fathers shirk their parental obligations they lose the respect of their children, and cannot control them. He advised the teachers to teach their pupils to love one another, and asserted that a teacher has within his or her power the ability to win the affection of every child in the room where he or she presides. 'Don't be too severe,'" said Judge Murray, "the boy or girl you don't like, is the one you should give special consideration to."

He told of having seen much of the bader side of life during the twenty years he has been on the bench as judge. Of the 75,000 persons who have come before him as defendants, most have not been of the criminal class, and if dealt with as criminals, a large percentage of them would have been lost forever to society. He chided

GIRL SCOUT CONFERENCE

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assembled for their last meeting, "A Scouts Own" conducted by Miss Alice Rider. Miss Mary McSkimmon, principal of the Pierce School in Brookline, spoke on the subject of "Fellowship." At the close of the service the beautiful Girl Scout candle light service was enacted thus ending the Scouts Own. Ice-cream and cake was served and the delegates left for home each taking back a little more than she brought.

And so the Girl Scout Conference closed and those who attended are certainly wiser girls than they were before.

The Newton Leaders course, under the direction of Miss Caroline L. Freeman, resumed its meetings on Thursday evening at the Unitarian Church in West Newton, after a vacation of three weeks for Christmas and the Girl's Conference. The meetings will continue until March 3rd and will cover all parts of the second and first class tests. A course in tenderfoot work will also be given if there are sufficient applicants.

The Girl Scouts Officers Association held its fourth meeting of the season Wednesday evening. Supper was served by officers of troops 8 and 18, Auburndale. A report was made on the Girl's Conference by its chairman, Ethel deMille of troop 13, Newton Center. The speaker for the evening, Mrs. Wheaton Byers, Commissioner for Boston, was unexpectedly called out of town on Monday. As no substitute could be found for her, the meeting ended with songs and games.

It is with deep regret that the Newton Girl Scouts have learned that Captain Cornelia Holmes of Troop 23, Newton Centre, has been forced to resign because of ill health. No one has been chosen as yet, to take her place.

Queen Elizabeth's Wardrobe.
When Queen Elizabeth of England died no fewer than 3,000 dresses were found in her wardrobe.



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invite comparison.*

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NEWS
FROM THE COLLEGES

By Harold P. Carver, N. H. S. '26

Since last week was one of more or less arduous labor, we will stop by the road side and rest this week in one college, Connecticut College for Women by name. On the top of a fairly steep hill in New London, it overlooks the river where the crews of Harvard and Yale have fought the varieties of glories that college men do fight for, and it also, according to one inhabitant, is a place that colds lurk in every corner. The college was founded shortly before the World War with a definite purpose in mind, that of giving a good liberal education to girls who were anxious to study, while at the same time an even balance be struck between the aesthetic qualities of life and the physical. The college was started with a very heavy endowment, and has offered all the opportunities that the small college can, and yet has many features in the way of progressive scholastic departments that a larger university might well afford.

Since its founding a few girls each year have boarded the Shore Line express and have headed down into the valley of the Thames. In the graduating class this year at Connecticut are two girls from Newton. One of them, Eleanor Richmond, the daughter of the head of the Science department at the high schools, is a transfer from Welles College, New York State. She and Louise MacLeod, the other senior from Newton, were both very much interested in the appreciation of music, and in the course of time have carried their studies on to a larger extent. Eleanor was in the Glee Club for three consecutive years, from the time of her entrance, until the end of her junior terms. She also was a member of the largest organization, the English Club for her sophomore and junior seasons, and was elected to the Student Council her last two years, serving as chairman of the Constitution Committee in the last year. As for Louise MacLeod she was into practically every event at the High School during her years there. She, along with Herbert Jones, who is now with the Bowdoin Glee Club, sang many songs and gave of her time freely in an effort to establish the various organizations that could use her peculiar talent. She was one of the sunniest, most agreeable members of the graduating class of 1923, and consequently was one of the most popular. In the matter of public discussion she held a deep interest which led her to devote much of her spare time to the improvement of the Girls' Debating Club. She was a member of this body for two years, and then in her final terms was elected to the presidential chair. Her experience was rather wide since she had been a varsity debater for some two seasons before this, and the only reason that the season was not as clearly cut a success was due to the abandonment of the old Girls' Debating League, which had been meeting for a number of years in the vicinity of Boston, being made up of suburban high schools for the most part. When this club broke up she entered whole-heartedly into the out-growth of it, which took for its name, The Forum. This group for a time carried on the ideas of its founders, but after some years it died a very natural death, and has not since been disturbed, despite the variety of debates that have gone on over its body. As could well be expected she also was a member of the Glee Club for two years, bearing the burden of being the leading girl singer in the chorus. Another girl from the same graduating class at Newton entered with Louise. However, at the end of a year she decided to leave and go into business circles, where she has had more than the usual success in her line. At Newton, Doris Wheaton was one of the leading athletes of her class, playing with the basketball team for two years. She also played with the hockey squad during all the time she was at High School. Her work in the English Club was recognized when she was elected to the English Club for three years, and from this she was chosen as one of the first reporters on the newly formed school weekly. The Newtonite. The question of selecting the class photographer was left in her hands, and she did a remarkably fine job, in that the pictures of the year 1923 are some of the best ever taken, as a whole, of the entire graduating class.

There are three former Newtonites in the junior division at Connecticut. Elizabeth Gordon of Newton Centre, that of 1924. The field of English held a great appeal for her, and as a result she was a member of the English Club for three years, and from the parent organization she joined the Debating Club, and its later continuation—the Forum. She was in the Debating Club for two years, and upon the formation of the younger body, the group unanimously chose her for secretary. Upon the creation of the idea of a weekly newspaper, she was one of the first to volunteer, and no more ardent or industrious worker ever graced the staff. If there was news to get, she had it before the unwary victim realized what was coming, or if there were facts needed, it was she who supplied the needed information from her store-house of knowledge. Her work did not cease in her junior year, but continued through to her senior terms where, under John Fleming, the Newtonite began to show signs of being a really first class newspaper. Not content with honors in the literary line, Betty turned around and conquered the world of mathematics with its theorems and logical statements. She was admitted into Alpha Gamma Tau for her last two seasons at the school, and became one of the leading mathematicians in this society of mathematicians. The class recognized her worth, and selected her for three years running to

be their representative in the Student Council. This was an unusual honor, for it is seldom, if at all, that a student whose ability is great in the first few years, continues to hold that position, and climb to even higher ones as the years go by. Next week we will proceed down the line, enumerating as we go the deeds of the other members of this college.

SCHOOL NOTES

F. A. Day Junior High School

The work of the orchestra received much well-deserved commendation and a round of hearty applause from Mr. Carr and the school during Wednesday morning's Assembly. When it is known that many of the members of the organization are playing instruments which they never saw before last October, we are able to realize somewhat the enormity of Mr. Spaulding's success. Dean Handy—who has always played a violin started to manipulate a slide trombone two weeks ago, and is now interspersing the music of the violin with that of the trombone. The pupils purchase their instruments at the school and receive free instruction from Mr. Spaulding as part of their curriculum. More power to them and the twenty more who are soon to join their ranks!

Miss Hinckley wielded the baton for the orchestra with grace and assurance.

The Assembly was in charge of Miss

McLean, who was fortunate to procure Big Brother, who entertained an eager audience. The children just love him. It is probably due to the fact that he is one of them and enters heartily into all their joys and good times. Aside from telling several uproarious jokes and playing on the good banjo-uke Mr. Emery stressed the purpose of the Big Brother club. This is a dual one—to keep the boys and girls at home and to teach them respect for father and mother. He thanked the pupils for their cooperation in writing to lighthouse keepers.

Mrs. Sandwall and Miss Grenier have returned from their vacations, which were extended because of their illness.

Football letters were awarded to members of 1926-1927 football team, all of whom have learned the first lesson of real sportsmanship in that they played their best, regardless of whether or not victory was forecast.

A great part of the team's success was due to the coaching of Mr. Simmons. Those receiving letters were: F. Schipper, captain; L. Potter, next year's captain elect; A. Wallace, E. Tenney, C. Litchfield, T. McCarthy, R. Bankhart, W. Cowen, F. Cooney, W. Mullen, R. Blair, D. Lombardi, J. Shor-

Angier School

Thelma Prouty, Crawford Ferguson, David McClellan, Marguerite Creamer, June Prouty, Janet McKinney are doing good work as corridor patrols for the Safety Council.

Rhoda Garrison IV and John Upham V have made excellent posters on winter dangers. Doris Linscott and June Prouty have posted in grades I to IV drawings showing ice dangers. Barbara Hall and Frances Morton and M. Howatt have made speeches regarding ice dangers in all rooms.

John Upham and Jack Bierer are acting as playground patrols, to prevent the snow balling nuisance.

Doris Bauckman of Grade 8 is the candidate in the Big Brother Spelling Match of January 13th.

The 8th grade had charge of the Assembly on Wednesday morning. They gave for their program a debate which they hoped would help the pupils to "think" before crossing the street.

The subject of the debate was: Resolved that careless pedestrians cause more accidents than careless drivers. The speakers on the affirmative side were: Paul Rycroft, Antonio Godino, Robert McClellan, Robert Gladwin, and Sam Douglas. The speakers on the negative side were Robert La Crosse, Jack Lawrence, and Leonard Witbeck.

The 6th and 7th grades were asked to give their decision and they voted for the affirmative. The judges, chosen by the class, Miss Chase, Mrs. Forbes, and Mr. Penney gave the victory to the negative side on actual number of points made. The negative side were especially good sportsmen for they were three against five as two of their members were unable to be present at the last moment.

The presiding officer was Vincent Estabrook, and Sewall Champion had charge of the opening exercises with the exception of the music, which was conducted by Olive Heathcote, assisted by Barbara Hall at the piano.

The 8th grade are to have more debates in which other members of the class will take part.

Lascell Seminary

In spite of the storm on Tuesday, Jan. 11, the concert given by the Paul Shirley Group of Symphony Players at the Auburndale Club was well attended.

A large and enthusiastic audience also welcomed Dr. William Montgomery McGovern on Tuesday evening, Jan. 11, who gave an illustrated lecture, "Secrets of the Amazonian Jungle."

On Sunday, January 16, Rev. Melville Freeman will have charge of the vesper service in the Chapel at 6:15.

With the toboggan slide and the skating rink in fine condition, there is no lack of interest among the students in outdoor sports.

DEATHS

McNAMARA; on Jan. 7, at 144 Bridge street, Newton, Mrs. Julia McNamara, age 86 years.

YOUNG; on Jan. 8 at Newton Hospital, Lucy Young of 613 California street, Newtonville, age 35 years.

JOHNSON; on Jan. 9, at 324 Adams street, Newton, John P. Johnson, age 44 years.

KIMBERLY; on Jan. 8, at 44 Fairfax street, West Newton, Augustus V. Kimberly, age 81 years.

MCDONNELL; on Jan. 10, at 64 Wyoming road, Newtonville, Mrs. Helen McDonnell, age 73 years.

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—Mr. Mark Noble has presented Troop 19 of Boy Scouts with a hand-some silk flag.

—Mr. Mark A. Dunham is an incorporator in the Mark A. Dunham & Co., Inc., of Boston.

—The annual church dinner and meeting of the Baptist Church will be held on Friday, January 28th.

—Rev. Oliver D. Sewall, treasurer of the Mass. Home Missionary Society will preach next Sunday at the First Church.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur V. Little of Commonwealth avenue are incorporators in the Ultra Smart Clothes, Inc., of Boston.

—The Annual Supper of the Unitarian Church, will be held Friday, January 14 at 6:30 o'clock. It will be followed by annual reports, necessary business and a social hour.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Richards Perry of Commonwealth avenue have announced the engagement of their daughter, Margaret Lewis Perry and Mr. Wyllis Lyman James of New York, Williams '21.

—The following officers of the Men's Class of the Baptist Church were recently elected: President, William A. Millard; Vice-President, Wendell R. K. Mick; Secretary, Levi Libby; Treasurer, Robert P. Holdsworth.

—The Hale Union will meet Sunday, January 14, at 6:15 P.M. After supper, the program will be under the title "Star Island Night." Reports will be given by recent delegates to the Star Island summer meetings and a series of beautiful stereopticon views will be thrown upon the screen illustrating this charming old Island and the gathering of our young people there each summer.

—At the Annual Meeting of Trinity Parish, held on Tuesday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Senior Warden, Louis H. Fitch; Junior Warden, John B. deMille; Treasurer, Charles B. Moore; Clerk, Samuel B. Paul; Vestrymen, Robert Casson, William G. Snow, Clarence Wilkins, D. Crosbie Greene, Allen Hubbard, Adams D. Claffin, W. Cornell Appleton, Joseph E. Masters.

—At the annual meeting of the Woman's Union of the Baptist Church the following officers and directors were elected for 1927: President, Mrs. Edward R. Kimball; Vice-Presidents, Mrs. G. Horace Williams, Mrs. Mabel R. Fowle, Miss Marian Haskell, Mrs. Charles H. Russell; Secretary, Mrs. Frank W. Padelford; Treasurer, Mrs. Charles R. Wiers; Directors for three years, Mrs. W. Claxton Bray, Mrs. Charles Copeland, Mrs. Frederick M. Sears.

—Rev. G. L. Parker, minister of the Unitarian Church, will preach in Toledo, Ohio, on January 16, 23, and 30, under the direction of the Laymen's League. The minister of the Toledo Church is

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EDITORIALS

In a recent address in Newton Miss Margaret Slattery in defending the modern girls said that one of the prominent characteristics of the modern girl was her self possession. This was particularly noticeable in the recent conference of the Girl Scouts held last week in the High School. It requires considerable knowledge and ability to handle a convention of over three hundred persons, and it was a revelation of the splendid training of the Girl Scouts which enabled these young girls to carry on so successfully.

We hope the example of the Newton Corner business men in forming a trade organization will be copied in other parts of the city. A Chamber of Commerce representing the whole city cannot, as a matter of fact, give the close intensive study to village needs and desires as the local business men.

BENEFIT SHOP

The Benefit Shop at 895 Washington street, Newtonville, has been in existence since June and has successfully demonstrated not only its ability to earn money for the Newton Hospital but its usefulness and helpfulness in solving the problem of home needs for its enthusiastic customers. Fall housekeeping has been completed, the home makers who have so generously helped supply the shop with goods, are perhaps waiting for spring to weed out again their clothing and furniture. As the Shop is entirely dependent on the cooperation of friends for supplies, it is necessary to send out this urgent appeal to all who wish the Shop's success to continue, to send in every bit of spare clothing or furniture dishes or bedding to replenish the store. If the merchants in Newton will give their shop worn goods it will be a great help. Another bit of help which will be greatly appreciated is to give the shop publicity; tell every one who works for you that it is a good place to get wonderful bargains. Tell them it is open Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoons from 1 to 4; Saturday from 7 to 9. If you need a truck to care for your large contributions call Mrs. Van Horne, Centre Newton 1898-W. Remember, busy Newton women are devoting days and hours of time, and endless thought and strength to this enterprise, and it all goes to help maintain your hospital and helps to supply citizens of your home city. Work with them and for the Benefit.

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UNDER THE GILDED DOME

While little business is usually transacted prior to the closing time for bills to be filed, which will be tomorrow afternoon at five o'clock, the Great and general Court has already started committee hearings on some of the important measures already filed.

Newton residents will be interested in a bill filed by Senator Simoneau of this district for a study of the possibility of constructing a new highway between Newton and Worcester on the line of the old Worcester turnpike. The bill is on the petition of Franklin T. Miller of Auburndale, who is the receiver of the Boston & Worcester Street Railway Company.

Mr. Henry L. Harriman of Newton, chairman of the Metropolitan Planning Division has filed a bill for a two cent gasoline tax to be paid by the distributors of gasoline in the first instance and such receipts to go into a fund for road improvement.

Another interesting bill for this community is the proposal to cover the B. & A. track location from Cottage Farm to Huntington avenue, and it is for an avenue for vehicular traffic.

Representative Luitwieler has filed several important bills, one to include busses within the law governing the passing of street cars by motor vehicles, and another for the prosecution of minor automobile offences by notice to the Registrar of Motor Vehicles.

POLICE NEWS

Raymond Hunter of Robbins street, Waltham was found not guilty in the Newton court last Friday on the charge of driving so as to endanger the lives and safety of the public. The complainant against him was another Waltham man, William Pratt, whose car and that of Hunter collided at the corner of River and Lexington streets, recently; Pratt was injured in the smash. Pratt claimed that Hunter was driving 35 or 40 miles an hour along the icy street when his auto skidded and crashed into the complainant's. Hunter had witnesses who refuted the testimony of fast driving.

Some chauffeurs of bank and mail automobiles seem to have the idea that they are privileged. They ignore the laws pertaining to traffic and drive along the highways at a reckless pace. On December 27, Officer Bill Dowling was standing in front of Police Headquarters when an automobile of the Federal Reserve Bank whizzed through the business section of Washington street doing 40 miles. It went by Dowling so fast he had no time to stop the car, which was being driven on the wrong side of the street. At Houghton's Corner, the speeding bank bus hit an auto driven by Morris Gee of Waltham, who was injured. Dowling rushed to the scene of the accident and found the driver of the bank car quite pert. He suggested to Dowling that the officer make his questioning "snappy," as he was an hour and a half late on his schedule. Dowling was not awed by the command of the chauffeur, even though this person was operating a car for such a mighty concern as the Federal Reserve Bank. The officer escorted the hurrying individual, Roland Judge of Malden, back to Police Headquarters and booked him for reckless driving. Judge was in court last Friday, was found guilty by Judge Bacon, and fined \$20. He appealed.

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Perhaps the smallest prisoner ever brought into Police Headquarters on a warrant arrived there at 7:45 Wednesday morning. The culprit, arrested for violation of probation, was a small youth, 7 years of age, and 3 feet, 9 inches tall. The measuring device at headquarters could not be used on this prisoner, so he had to be measured with a foot rule. This young person was before the juvenile court a few months ago for having misappropriated number of toy wagons, scooters, and kiddy carts. This time he was apprehended as an habitual truant. He was remanded to his father's custody to be tried in the session of the juvenile court today.

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**Not Responsible for
Any Wildcat's Blunder**

A stranger, driving down a lonely road, saw a big wildcat dash across the highway in front of him and leap through the open window of a farmhouse. At the same moment he saw the farmer working in a field a short distance away. Whipping up his horse, he excitedly accosted the farmer.

"Is that your house?" he breathlessly inquired.

"Guess it is," drawled the man of the soil.

"Is your wife in the kitchen?"

"Ought to be," said the farmer.

"Then hurry home, man, and see what you can do. I just saw a wildcat leap through the kitchen window."

"That so?" asked the farmer.

"Yes, man; hurry, hurry."

"Tell me, man, stranger," insisted the farmer, "was anybody chasing that wildcat?"

"No."

"He went through that window of his own free will and accord?"

"Yes," replied the now thoroughly puzzled stranger.

"Then let him defend himself," concluded the farmer, as he returned contentedly to his task.—Washington Star.

**Small Girl Slightly
"Under the Weather"**

The Mexican Indian dislikes nothing so much as unnecessary labor. He is disposed to take life as he finds it, and seldom does anything to better his position in the world. An American hunting in the Sierra of Pueblo, stopped at the door of an Indian hut to inquire his way of a woman and a little girl who stood within. The following conversation ensued:

"Good morning, senora."

"A very good morning, at your orders, senor."

"This is the road to Zacapoaxtla, is it not?"

"You are quite right, senor."

"And is it very far?"

"On the contrary, it is a little way."

"A thousand thanks for your kindness, senora."

"There is nothing for which to offer them, senor."

"Is the little girl sick, senora?"

"She is a little sick, senor."

"What is the matter with her, senora?"

"She has the smallpox, senor."

Harness for Dogs

The ordinary style of harness used for dogs drawing sleds is made of rawhide straps. It consists of a collar with a strap extending down from the back of the neck to the middle of the back, where it meets a strap which passes from the lower part of the collar between the forelegs and up on each side over the ribs, to be attached to the back strap; at this point is made fast the leading line, which from three to five feet long, and is attached either directly to the front of the sled or to a single straight leading line fastened to the sled and extending forward to a distance sufficient for the attachment of all the dogs belonging to the team. When the team consists of more than three dogs, they are attached to the main leading line in pairs, with the most intelligent dog in front as a leader.

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One-Word Sermon

The word "news" is made up of the four letters that indicate the main points of the compass, N., S., E. and W. In a book published more than a century ago, the author comments upon this in a way that is by no means out of date at the present time. He says: "As news implies the intelligence received from all parts of the world, the very word itself points out its meaning—N., the north; E., the east; W., the west, and S., the south. This expressive word also recommends the practice of the following virtues: Nobleness in our thoughts, Equity in our dealings, Wisdom in our counsels, and Sobriety in our enjoyments."

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Ether and Light Waves

Ether is the medium through which, according to the wave theory, light waves are transmitted through space, etc. It has been assumed that inasmuch as ocean waves are made of water, and sound waves are made of air, light waves must be composed of something, and to supply this want in our knowledge a medium called the ether was imagined. Experiments of different kinds have cast a doubt on the existence of ether, but the facts of radiation and of other familiar phenomena demand a connecting medium which conveniently is called the "ether."

POLICEMAN STOPS RUNAWAY

Traffic Officer Ray Taffe earned the plaudits of many persons who witnessed his heroic stopping of a runaway horse Saturday afternoon at Nonantum Square. The horse, which was hitched to a wagon owned by the Alden, Noble and Childs Mill Company, evidently became tired of standing in the cold and came down Centre street at a rapid trot headed directly for the heavy traffic which fills Nonantum Square on Saturday afternoons. Officer Taffe jumped for the horse's bridle, and though dragged for over 100 feet along the slippery street, managed to stop the animal.

A generation ago, runaway horses furnished big thrills and frequently caused fatal accidents. An old timer, who witnessed Officer Taffe's feat, recalled a similar incident which happened many years ago, when Chief Burke, then a patrolman, was dragged through a plate glass window in the Nonantum Building while stopping a runaway horse.

KIWANIS CLUB

The regular meeting of the Kiwanis Club on Tuesday was well attended despite the hazardous travelling occasioned by the blizzard. Two new members, William E. Pike and Harry Stevens, were present. President Clement Colburn and Trustees James P. Gallagher gave reports of the District Conference of Presidents and Trustees of the Kiwanis Clubs held recently at Boston. Lawrence Fredericks of the Newton Glass Company was the speaker of the day and gave a very interesting talk on the manufacture of plate glass. Mr. Fredericks, who was formerly connected with a large glass manufacturing plant in Pennsylvania, told of the different processes which are used in the manufacture of this type of glass, and which necessitate its high cost.

HAMMOND-WRIGHT

Dr. Harry W. Hammond of Tamworth, New Hampshire, and Miss Alice Wright of 3 Northgate park, West Newton, were married Sunday last at the home of the bride by Rev. Frank Potter. Dr. Hammond was for a number of years a resident of this city, conducting a sanatorium at 500 Crafts street. Miss Wright was for many years employed in the office of the City Treasurer. The Hawthorne H. B. Club of Waltham, of which Mrs. Hammond is a member, at its meeting Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Fred Basley presented the bride with a gift of gold.

DEATHS

FOWLER: on January 12 at 500 Crafts street, Laura D. Fowler of Newburyport, age 60 yrs. TUCKER: on January 10 at 21 Institution avenue, Newton Centre, Mrs. Marion A. Tucker, age 82 yrs. JOHNSTON: on January 10 at 10 Mt. Vernon Terrace, Newtonville, Mrs. Lucia O. Johnson, age 73 yrs. ELLIS: on January 13 at 11 Ware road, Auburndale,

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Mrs. Walter Stevens of Boylston street has returned from a visit in New York.

Mr. H. Sigourney Gilbert is an incorporator in the Certified Silver, Inc., of Boston.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church met at Mrs. Miller's, Erie avenue, Monday evening.

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The Congregational Church Educational Committee met on Thursday evening at the parsonage.

The Epworth League of the Methodist Church held a meeting at the parsonage Sunday afternoon.

Mr. George Morris of Walnut street was called away this week on account of the death of his mother.

Mrs. S. W. Jones opened her house on Tuesday afternoon for a bridge party in the interest of the Art Work Shop.

The Missionary Society of the Methodist Church met at the home of Mrs. Miller, 68 Erie avenue, Wednesday afternoon.

Under the auspices of the Philanthropic Committee of the Woman's Club, the Knickerbocker Club will give a concert this Friday evening at 8 o'clock in Lincoln Hall.

Mr. William Richardson of Boston, colored baritone, sang at the Methodist Church last Sunday evening. Mr. Richardson was formerly with Roland Hayes on his world tour and has given six Jordan Hall recitals.

An old fashioned dancing party was held Tuesday night in Lincoln Hall to raise funds for the Holy Ghost Hospital at Cambridge. The committee in charge included Mrs. Lawrence Cannon, Mrs. Margaret Brennan, Mrs. Nellie Simkins and Miss Irene Horrigan.

Hon. J. Weston Allen, chairman of the Eastern Division of the National Crime Commission had called an open conference of chiefs of police and prosecuting attorneys to meet in Chicago, January 28, to consider legislation to regulate the use and sale of machine guns and small arms generally.

The Congregational Church Women's Association held an all-day meeting Wednesday. It was a meeting of great interest in regard to final reports on the Fair and other activities much sewing was done for the Newton Hospital. Luncheon was served at noon. Miss Morse was chairman of the afternoon program and Mrs. Wm. E. Strong spoke on "China."

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—Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Scott Smyth, of Newtonville avenue, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Lavinia Georgie Smyth, to J. Clark Riggs, Jr., of Battle Creek, Mich. The engagement was made known at a small dance given at their home. Miss Smyth is a graduate of Chevy Chase School at Washington, D. C., and Mr. Riggs is in the United States Naval Academy, Annapolis.

—The first of a series of vesper services and organ recitals to place at the Church of the New Jerusalem has been announced for Sunday afternoon at 4:30 P.M. The half-hour vesper service will include an address by the Rev. William F. Wunsch, principal of the New-Church Theological School of Cambridge, on the subject, "The Man Whom Nobody Knows." Following the vespers there will be a half-hour organ recital by Harold Schwab, organist of All Souls Church of Lowell. Mr. Schwab is one of Boston's most prominent young organists, a graduate of the University of Southern California and a member of the class of 1922 at the New England Conservatory of Music. Since then he has become organist of All Souls Church, Lowell, an instructor at Lasell Seminary, and an Associate of the American Guild of Organists.

—On Tuesday evening, Miss Blanchie O. Berry of 957 Washington street, Newtonville, was tendered a party by a group of her friends at the home of Miss Ruth H. Brown, 3 Fair Oaks avenue, Newtonville. Miss Berry has been a member of the choir and a teacher in the Church School of the Newtonville Methodist Church for a number of years but has resigned to accept a position singing in the Trinity Church at Newton Centre. On behalf of her friends Miss Brown presented her with a book and tooled leather cover as an expression of friendship and appreciation. Miss Berry was much surprised but responded fittingly. A second surprise of the evening was the announcement by Miss Brown of her engagement to Mr. Hayden L. Straight of Greenville, Pa., and Newtonville. Miss Brown is a graduate of the Salem Normal School and is a teacher in the sixth grade of the Bigelow School, Newton. Mr. Straight, a graduate of Thiel College, Pennsylvania, and Boston University, is the Director of Religious Education at the Newtonville Methodist Church.

ST. JOHN'S PARISH

The annual meeting of St. John's Parish in Newtonville was held Monday evening in the Parish House. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: For senior warden, Mr. Willard C. Warren; junior warden, Mr. James C. Irwin; clerk, Mr. Harlan H. Ballard Jr.; treasurer, Mr. Hubert L. Carter; vestrymen, Messrs. George H. Tracy, Donald E. Rust, James D. Elliott, George R. Kraber, and Edward Page. For delegates to the Diocesan Convention: Messrs. George H. Tracy, John R. Rees, and John C. Jones, Jr. For Delegates to the Archdeaconry of Lowell: Messrs. George R. Kraber, Harold K. Wead, and Walter F. Bartlett. In addition to the election of officers all the different parish organizations submitted reports of their work for the year 1926, and it was voted to call a special parish meeting about a month hence to consider the question of certain amendments to the Constitution and By Laws.

Posthumous Fame All Accorded to Shelley

It seems strange that unpublished poems and letters of Shelley could be found at this late date in the Harvard Library, not as leaves inserted in another man's production, but as part of a notebook of the poet's own making, says the Philadelphia Public Ledger. One would suppose that a book held in such scholarly custody for 23 years would have been examined with care long ago to discover any precious traces of "Ariel," especially when the volume was known to have been in the possession of the illustrious genius whose smallest manuscript, like any holograph of Burns or Keats, is a capital prize today. In his whole lifetime Shelley received about \$400 from the publishers of his poems. Without income from other sources, he could not have rounded even the short term of years that fate allotted him. His career provides one of many instances in which a poet who failed of widespread public recognition in his day has won a posthumous glory which has made his manuscripts the object of eager competition among bibliophiles.

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ABOUT TOWN

It was Balzac who wrote, "The Law is a spider's web. The big flies break through. The little flies are caught, and held." The masses cannot be expected to have respect for the law, if those high in the social scale use the influence they can obtain to evade punishment when caught transgressing our laws. It is interesting to observe with what avidity some of our prominent citizens, who ordinarily advocate the proper observance of Law and Order, will attempt to aid one of high position who has run afoul of the Law. Certain persons think it perfectly all right to have one of the "common herd" properly punished should he drive an automobile while under the influence of liquor. But when one of the "ultra ultra" is caught navigating an automobile while in a "soused" state, the aforementioned prominent citizens will connive to assist such an offender from paying the penalty. The policeman who yields to their persuasions is a "good fellow," according to them. The policeman who is adamant to their appeals, who is faithful to his oath of office, he, in the opinion of the "fixers," is contemptible.

The Mayor in his inaugural address advocated the dredging of Charles River. The Mayor resides near the banks of the Charles at Nonantum. He has "first nose" information every Summer that the Charles should be dredged. For years the mills, dye-houses, and bleachers have been dumping their refuse into the Charles. The result is—that when the river gets low each Summer, the odor arising from it cannot be mistaken for "Jockey Club" or "new mown hay."

We reside on an unaccepted street. Although this street is not accepted, the land and houses abutting it are taxed and the city in return for the taxes paid among other things furnishes two gas lights to enable residents on this street to have some small degree of assistance in traveling along it at night. For about six weeks one of these two lights has not been lighted. The police officer on the route repeatedly reported this fact to headquarters, and headquarters repeatedly notified the Gas Company. A week ago last night the street was unusually slippery, and as we left our residence to come to the office, in the darkness occasioned by the utter lack of any street light, we stepped on a very slippery spot and took a nose-dive. Our bezer hit the ice, and we suffered a contusion and cut on our right knee.

So, when we arrived at the office, we telephoned Police Headquarters to complain about the non-lighted gas lamp. To date nothing has been done

by the Gas Company to repair this lamp and put it into operation. We wonder how many more street lamps throughout the city are not functioning. The taxpayers are paying for service which is not being given.

When the gas lamps "illuminating" our streets, were lighted by men carrying hand torches, they were kept in working order. Now, that they are lighted by clockwork, it is a common occurrence for some of them to be "out of order" for long periods.

On the street where we reside, there are two gas lamps. Some miscreant broke the globe on one of these lamps several weeks ago. We intended to report to the proper officials the fact that this lamp was not functioning. But we kept forgetting to do so. Last night we called up Police Headquarters to report that this particular lamp had not been lighted nights for some time. We remembered to make this complaint, because, while traveling along the darkened street, we stepped on some ice, and landed on our "phiz" with much force. We noticed for a couple of nights this week, lanterns placed by the police or Street Department employees at the flooded crosswalks along Washington street. Some persons who got their feet wet, must have complained.

Something will have to be done to make automobiles more easy to identify. With cars being turned out by the millions, dozens of the same type car will be owned in one neighborhood, and embarrassing mistakes result. The other night among the "guests" at the Garden City Lunch in West Newton, were Henry Marcell of Newton Corner and Tom McCarthy of West Newton. Both these gentlemen drive Hudson sedans, which were parked outside. As usual the "guests" held a profound discussion on current topics. At the conclusion of the forum, Mr. Marcell took his departure from the "beanyery" entering as he supposed his own car. Knowing that he had little motor fuel, he drove to a nearby garage and had five gallons of gasoline placed in the tank on the auto. As he started to drive towards Newton Corner, he discovered that he had made a mistake, and the car he was driving was not his Hudson, but that of Mr. McCarthy. Back to the "beanyery" he went to give Mr. McCarthy his car—and five gallons of gasoline.

At the recent re-union of the Newton High School Alumni, references were made to former teachers at the school. Passing mention was made of Andrew J. George, for many years in charge of the English department. "Andy" George, as he was affectionately called by the pupils who studied under him, was one of the most popular and most efficient teachers in the history of the school.

K. OF C.

Tuesday night, the Boston College Glee Club made of a chorus of 45 voices and an orchestra of 20 pieces will make their first appearance in Newton, furnishing the entire program for "Ladies Night" at Newton Council, K. of C., at Elks Hall, Centre street.

The Knights have spared no expense to make 1927 "Ladies Night" an epoch making affair in their social history and is in keeping with the plan to foster closer relationship between Newton Council and Boston College.

The Glee Club will be directed by James Ecker and Arthur Hagen and Lawrence Gibson will be the soloists. The B. C. Octette of Messrs. Tondorf, Gibson, Kelley, Heffernan, Healy, Shea, Healy and Connors will have six numbers. A special number will be sung by Mr. Hagen dedicated to the Knights. The concert will begin at 8:15 and close at 9:45. Following the program there will be dancing until 12 o'clock. Chairman Charles E. Coyne is planning many surprises during the dancing. The Knights may bring as many friends as they wish and the members of Newton Council will stand in the good graces of the "folks who stay home" for all 1927 if they bring the ladies to "Ladies Night."

BANK OFFICIALS

Among the numerous directors elected this week in the Boston banks we note the following:

Rockland, Mr. S. M. Bolster of West Newton

Merchants, Mr. James L. Richards of Newtonville.

Shawmut, Mr. L. K. Liggett and Mr. Leverett Saltonstall of Chestnut Hill, Mr. William T. Rich of Newton.

Atlantic, Mr. Herbert K. Hallett of Newtonville, Mr. George S. Mumford and Edwin S. Webster of Chestnut Hill, Mr. Waldron H. Rand, Jr. of Newton Centre, Mr. Stephen W. Holmes of Newton, Mr. A. R. Smith of West Newton, Mr. Charles E. Valentine of Auburndale are vice-presidents of this bank.

First, Edwin P. Brown, George W. Brown, F. B. Hopewell of Newton, Carl P. Dennett of Auburndale, Clifton H. Dwinell, Frank J. Hale, Sinclair Weeks of West Newton and Matt B. Jones of Newton Centre.

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Dr. Samuel Johnson used a bludgeon rather than a rapier in his repertoire, as some anecdotes about him by Charles Hopkins Clark in the North American Review show. On one occasion, on a Sunday, a pompous acquaintance, whom he did not like, came up to him with, "Doctor Johnson, we have had an excellent sermon today." "That may be so," said the doctor, "but it is impossible that you should know it."

After a heated argument, which, by the way, was the kind he said he enjoyed, he finished his opponent with, "If I have said anything you understand, I beg the pardon of the rest of the company."

Mr. Cholmondeley stopped the carriage in which Johnson was riding and attempted to speak to him, but got no attention. Someone said, "Here is Mr. Cholmondeley." "What if it is?" said Johnson, and went on reading a book.

Someone attempted to introduce a friend: "Here is my friend, Mr. Vesey, Doctor Johnson." "I see him," said the doctor and turned away.

Sir Lynch Cotton asked Doctor Johnson what he thought of a neighboring peer. "A dull, commonplace sort of man," he answered, "just like you and your brother."

Doctor Bernard, president of Jesus College, Oxford, unintentionally offended him with a passing jest, and, by way of apology said at once, "I mean nothing, Doctor Johnson." To which polite remark Johnson answered, "If you mean nothing, say nothing, sir!"

Women in Business in Ancient Babylon

Modern times have a remarkable counterpart 4,000 years ago in ancient Babylon, says Capper's Weekly. Women in business were by no means rare then. Tablets exhumed by Edward Chiera, American Assyriologist, show they worked in factories and engaged in trade on their own account. They had a monopoly of the saloon business, but the saloons of ancient times were even less respectable than the modern institution, consequently the women barkeepers were not held in high esteem. There were stenographers then, most of them women. The so-called cuneiform writing was so complicated it took many years to learn it, consequently almost everyone simply dictated letters to scribes, who sat at tables near the gates of cities. These ancient stenographers held positions of influence and responsibility, as they were lawyers as well, and saw to it that all contracts were legally worded.

We greatly underrate the knowledge and culture of the ancients.

Two Varieties of Stars

The words "giant" and "dwarf" have reference to intensive brightness rather than to mass, though differences in volume are involved. One theory of star evolution is that in the beginning all stars are of gas of extraordinarily low density and of low temperature and surface brightness. Such are the red stars. They contract, grow continually hotter and pass through successive stages toward the white hot state, although not all stars reach that state. The stars undergoing these changes in the ascending branch are chiefly "giants." Afterward, the stars begin to fall off in temperature and luminosity, and gradually pass to the red stage and then to invisibility. The stars on this descending branch are termed "dwarfs."

Tact

Tact, so the lexicographer tells us, is nice discernment and delicate skill in speech and behavior. What could be a greater recommendation for one whom you wish to employ? In many a business conference, when a certain man or woman is mentioned for promotion to executive responsibility, some one will say: "Undoubtedly capable. A whiz for work! But will never do. Does not know how to get along with people. Has no tact!"

Remember, when striving to excel in snap and verve, that no one likes to be poked. In building your character and business edifice be sure to include a generous supply of tact and not too much tack!

Cheap Place to Live

In Tahiti, in the South seas, land can be had almost for the asking. Rents are ridiculously low. James Norman Hall tells in the Atlantic Monthly of having rented a small house on a two-acre lot for \$3 a month. The lot was infested with land crabs, which are considered a delicacy when cooked with a common variety of nuts. The crabs are so numerous that the work of catching enough for a day's rations takes only a few moments. The nuts also are plentiful. There a man can live in comparative luxury on a few dollars a month. And the climate compares favorably with that of Florida.

Newton Central Council

The results of the seventh week of the sale of Christmas Seals in the various villages of the city are as follows: Newton Centre \$1497.71
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Waban 703.35
Newton Highlands 682.06
Auburndale 552.93
Chestnut Hill 541.50
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NEWTON WELFARE BUREAU

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daughter arrived in Boston, August 1925. He secured work in Newton but at the end of six weeks was laid off. A fortnight later he succeeded in finding work in Natick. His family, consisting of wife and six children, arrived in Newton from Scotland, December, 1925. In February 1926, occurred the blizzard. Mr. B. was unable to return home, and sought the home of a friend in Natick. A wrench knee made the struggle thru the drifts doubly difficult and he became thoroughly chilled during the exposure. He contracted a heavy cold, and rheumatism in an acute form developed. A Newton physician sent him to the Out Patient Department of the Massachusetts General Hospital for treatment. After following the treatment for two months he was obliged to discontinue because of inability to meet carfares to and from the Hospital, admission fees, X-rays, bandages, etc. He was sure Scotland would cure his ills and in spite of excruciating pains, worked his passage back on a cattle boat in July 1926. Strange to say, Scotland did improve his condition and he wrote his family in the United States that prospects for an early return to the mines seemed bright. Of course Mrs. B. and her children were desirous of once again establishing a home in Scotland, and she appealed to the Vice-Consul of the British Consulate for a reduction of expense of passage for self and children. The Vice-Consul thought Mrs. B. seemed like an honest woman, but when she told him that she had saved \$200 in the midst of all their troubles, he was suspicious that she might have saved more and wanted the Welfare Bureau to study the situation. Later upon the recommendation of the Welfare Bureau the Vice-Consul reduced the family's passage half of the regular fare to \$279. After selling the furniture for \$50, Mrs. B. was short \$30 and clothing for the children. The Executive of the Sons' Charitable Society was approached by our visitor and promised \$50. The Newton Welfare Bureau expended \$20 for three boys' suits and gave four new gingham dresses from its store-room, and the family sailed on Saturday, October 30—just 29 days after the problem was referred to the Newton Welfare Bureau.

From December 1923 to June 1926, the Welfare Bureau co-operated with a worker in the Insular and Foreign Operations Department of the National Red Cross in planning the return to this country of a young girl, who was born in Whitinsville, Massachusetts, and who had gone with her mother and aged grandmother for a visit with relatives in Armenia. The uncle of the girl is a shoe-maker in one of the villages of Newton. The Bureau was asked to get in touch with him regarding a plan for the girl's return, after it was found that because of the new Immigration Law the mother and grandmother could not enter the United States. After correspondence covering a year, in which thirty to forty letters and various affidavits passed thru this office, word was received in October 1925 that the girl's passport had been issued and forwarded to the American Consul General at Constantinople for delivery to her. 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II. The writer's name must be put in a sealed envelope attached to the manuscript and the envelope and manuscript must be marked with corresponding numbers.

III. The manuscript may be not under five hundred or over two thousand words.

The thrill of composition, not to mention the thrill of winning in such a contest, should arouse many to compete! The result of this activity will be awaited by all Club members with eager interest.

Social Science Club

On Wednesday morning, the 19th, the Social Science Club will meet as usual at 10 o'clock in Hunnewell Club parlors. After the business meeting, Miss Florence L. Heard, a Club member, will read a paper on "Chinese Philosophy." This is the second step in the development of the topic "China," which is under consideration for Club study.

Newton Centre Woman's Club

The second of the three talks on "Antiques" by Miss Grace Weston, for the fortunate members of the Newton Centre Woman's Club, will be given on Monday, January 17th, at 10.30 in the Club House, the subject being: "The Great Mastercraftsmen, and Their Influence on American Furniture."

For the January Exhibition in the Art Gallery the committee has secured the Spanish and New England water-colors, and decorative panels of Carroll Wright Bill and Sally Cross Bill. The exhibition will open with a tea on January 17th and continue through the 27th.

Under the auspices of the Educational Committee, Mrs. Frederick M. Gilson, chairman, the first of a series of Story Hours for Children will be given Monday, January 17th, at 3.45 P.M., by Mrs. Cronan, who is affiliated with the Newton Library Bureau. The stories will be especially adapted for children in Grades IV, V, and VI.

The Department of the American Home announces a Visit to the Priscilla Proving Woman's Club members, with a varied program of vocal and instrumental numbers arranged by Mrs. Thomas D. Ginn, chairman of the Music Committee. Mrs. Ginn, herself, is to appear on the program, in company with Claramond Thompson, and these two will do folk songs in costume. A soloist of the afternoon will be Raymond Simonds, tenor, and Anna B. Eliehorn is to furnish the violin numbers, while Lucy Simonds will be at the piano.

Owing to the nature of the program, the price of guest tickets for this meeting, is to be advanced and those who can, are asked to secure them early, by communicating with the treasurer, Mrs. Harlan J. Maynard. Tea will be served by the Social Committee under the supervision of Mrs. T. L. Goodwin. The annual pilgrimage to the Boston Museum of Fine Arts, arranged by the Art Committee, is scheduled for Thursday morning. The lecture will be given at 10.30 by one of the Museum attendants, and is to be on "Design in Textiles" in the textile room.

Two such announcements, holding such interest, will be received with satisfaction by all privileged to enjoy the plans.

Newtonville Woman's Club

Tuesday afternoon, January 18th, the regular meeting meeting of the Newtonville Woman's Club will not be held at the Congregational Church, but in its place the Class in Play Production will present "Pygmalion and Galatea," by W. S. Gilbert, at the Newton High School auditorium. The play is under the direction of Mr. William Palme, stage manager of the Forty-seven Workshop for two years. Mrs. Percy E. Woodward, who has designed the costumes and setting, is also supervising their making. Mrs. Woodward has graciously opened her home every Tuesday to the Class in Play Production, and to any member of the club who has offered her assistance in the making of the costumes and setting. The music is under the direction of Mrs. Mary Mitchell, Registrar of the All Newton Music School. Miss Mary Gannon, an advanced pupil of Miss Elizabeth Fyffe, will play the violin, accompanied by Mrs. Mitchell.

Tickets for the remaining three lectures of Mrs. Grace Morrison Poole's course in Current Events may be bought for \$1.15, or for 50 cents each, at the next lecture which will be at 2.30 P.M., January 31st, at the Congregational Church.

Can you write a short story? Members of the Club read the following rules put on your thinking caps, and enter the Short Story Contest.

I. Manuscripts must be submitted before April 1.

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January 21. West Newton Community Service Club Current Events
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January 24. Christian Era Study Club
January 24. C. L. S. C. of Newton Highlands
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D. A. R.

The Lucy Jackson Chapter of the D.A.R. held its January meeting on Monday afternoon in the parish house of the Second Congregational church in West Newton. The regent, Mrs. John N. Eaton, presided. Mrs. Francis Newhall gave an interesting account of the four days' anniversary celebration held in December when friends of the members were welcomed at the chapter house, and rare antiques were on exhibition. Mention was made of the story of the house, so ably written for the occasion by Mrs. D. E. Baker, a valuable book to own.

The growth and achievements of the recently formed chapter of the Children of the Revolution were described by their enthusiastic leader, Mrs. Francis Rodman. This group now numbers 74 and Mrs. Rodman hopes the membership may grow to 100. Gifts had been made to the Old Ironsides fund and to other objects including local charities.

Mrs. Nina Mae Forde sang pleasantly four Russian selections. She was accompanied by Miss Elizabeth Fairchild of Newton Highlands.

Delegates and alternates were appointed for the April meeting of the state conference to be held at the Hotel Statler, Boston. They were: delegates, Mrs. A. P. Friend, Mrs. F. W. Bakeman, Mrs. Francis Newhall; alternates, Mrs. E. H. Tarbell, Mrs. W. A. Corson, Miss Florence A. Tower, Mrs. W. D. Thompson, Mrs. H. P. Converse, Mrs. F. C. Rodman.

Mme. Toumanoff, a Russian princess and refugee, now teaching in the Beaverton school, was the speaker of the afternoon. She spoke with restraint and sincerity and her story carried conviction.

She quoted figures showing that 2,000,000 persons, largely from the professional classes, had been put to death by the Bolsheviks, whose moving spirit was class hatred. Any one who acquires money or achieves intellectual superiority is an object of hatred. Education is for the proletariat alone, and many of the works of genius are forbidden, including Tolstoi. Perhaps the most distressing result of this disastrous system is the millions of homeless children who live in a wild state, many perishing from cold and hunger and a large number becoming dangerous criminals.

At the close of the meeting tea was served by Mrs. R. K. Shattuck and her group of hostesses.

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY

The American Legion Auxiliary of Newton Post 48 will hold a whist party at Dennison Hall, Newtonville next Wednesday evening, Jan. 19th at nine o'clock. A social hour and refreshments will follow the card party.

Members of the Auxiliary have been invited by Newton Post 48 to attend its installation services at 8 o'clock on Thursday evening, Jan. 20th in Dennison Hall.

Auburndale Woman's Club

The second of three Current Events talks by Grace Morrison Poole for members of the Auburndale Woman's Club, will be given in the Burr School Hall, Thursday morning, January 20th, at 10.15. Pupils of the seventh and eighth grades of the school have been invited to listen to the lecture.

Community Service Club of West Newton

January 21st is the date for the next in the series of Current Events lectures always awaited so expectantly by members of the Community Service Club of West Newton. Mrs. Claude U. Gilson will bring the resume of world affairs, with reasoning and forecasting, at 10.30 A.M., in the Unitarian Parish House.

Shakespeare Club of Newton Highlands

Mrs. F. S. Keith opens her home at 20 Hartford street, to members of the Shakespeare Club, on Saturday afternoon, the 22nd, for enjoyment of the Quiz on Acts III and IV of "Taming the Shrew." Mrs. W. J. Bicknell is given the opportunity to test her fellow members in having charge of the Quiz.

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ARTICLE No. 6

If the question were asked: "Which do you enjoy the more, winning or losing?" practically every auction player would reply: "winning." That is probably right and yet it is a well known fact that the winning player is always willing to quit while the losing one will play all night if he can get a game. It seems to be human nature to desire to cash in on one's profits, to quit a winner, and yet that is one of the greatest mistakes a player can make. The time to keep playing is when you are winning. "Push your luck and limit your losses" is one of the greatest maxims of the game and yet the one lost followed. When you are holding good cards during an evening's play, don't think about taking all your profits. Keep on playing while your luck lasts, don't stop until it is lost. On the other hand, if you are losing, don't keep on playing. A bad luck streak is one of the hardest things to break there is, so don't try it. One of the best "money" players in the country, and by "money player" is meant a man who plays auction bridge for high stakes and wins, makes it an invariable rule to stop playing if he loses three rubbers in succession. It may not be good sportsmanship but it certainly is good judgment. Think it over and see whether you are getting the most out of your good cards and losing as little as possible when you are holding poor cards. If you can learn this lesson and stick to it, you have made great strides toward becoming a winning player.

The other night a point was raised in one of the New York Card Clubs that caused considerable discussion. The dealer bid one club, second hand passed, and the dealer's partner held the following hand:

Hearts — 10, 8, 4, 2
Clubs — none
Diamonds — 10, 9, 7, 6, 3
Spades — J, 8, 5, 3

Answer to Problem No. 5
Y : Hearts — K, 9, 7, 3, 2
A : B : Clubs — 8, 7, 3
Z : : Diamonds — J, 10, 7
: : Spades — A, 3

No score rubber game. Z dealt and bid one heart. A passed and Y bid two diamonds. If all passed, what should B open? The eight of clubs is the proper opening lead. It is a close hand but the only other alternative, the ace of spades, gives up command of that suit and may, therefore, be very disastrous. The trump lead is not sound. Three trumps to the jack ten are strong enough either to support partner's trump holding or to trump opponent's high cards. For that reason they should not be led. The eight of clubs is the only real sound description.

Answer to Problem No. 5
Hearts — 9
Clubs — none
Diamonds — 9, 8, 6, 3
Spades — none

Answer to Problem No. 6
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ABOUT TOWN

The new lunch room at Nonantum Square will have to sell a small ocean of coffee to pay the rent charged for the stores it will occupy.

Talking about common victualler licenses—there should be no need of folks at Nonantum going hungry if all the common victualler licenses applied for at that district were granted, and properly functioned by those receiving them.

Verily this is a wonderful age. A leading Boston store advertised a sale of women's silk hosiery the other day. Among the shades this hosiery could be obtained were French Nude, Sunburn, Nude, Freckles, Flesh, Blonde and Atmosphere. We hope that the list will not be extended to include acne and eczema.

James Shanahan, president of the Journeymen Barbers Union is quoted in the papers as saying, "Millions of dollars come into the hands of barbers in the United States yearly through tips, but the price we pay in reduced dignity and loss of patronage is too high. Officials of this union realize that they are taking a momentous step in opposing tipping. Many of our members will disapprove, but we believe a majority will favor our action."

The first time we remember seeing any one tip a barber in this city was over twenty years ago, when Julius Jacobson conducted a shop in the Nonantum Building. One day we saw a regular patron of this shop give a nickel tip to the man who shaved him. Shaves cost a dime in those days, so the nickel tip was not stingy. And the man who did the tipping, drove a coal team.

The worm has turned. The Chinese are chasing the foreigners out of China. We are sorry for the missionaries whose good intentions should cause them to be immune from the violence of the mobs. But the Chinese have surely received "raw treatment" from many nations which for generations have shamefully exploited them. The saddling of the opium curse on China by greedy representa-

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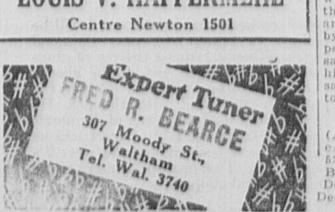


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2 family frame house, 408 Lowell Avenue, cost \$12,500; H. L. Nelson, owner and builder.

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2 family frame house, 418 Lowell Avenue, cost \$12,500; H. L. Nelson, owner and builder.

2 family frame house, 69 Kensington street, cost \$10,000; Mary Lefort, owner; David LeFort, builder.

1 family frame house, 26 Whitney road, cost \$18,000; Rossi & Richal, owners and builders.

1 family frame house, 34 Whittier Road, cost \$10,000; A. J. Steffens, owner; E. F. Henley, builder.

Waban

1 family brick house, 195 Carlton Road, cost \$8000; Robert Hillman, owner and builder.

1 family frame house, 56 Allen Avenue, cost \$6500; Joseph Godino, owner; Joseph Durache, builder.

1 family frame house, 5 Byfield Rd., cost \$20,000; J. A. Willard, owner; C. B. Westgate, builder.

Chestnut Hill

1 family brick house, 71 Monadnock Road, cost \$25,000; David J. Holmes, owner and builder.

1 family frame house, 86 Beacon St., cost \$18,000; Robert Sullivan, owner; Francis Coyne, builder.

Newton Highlands

1 family frame house, 27 Mountford road, cost \$10,000; Sadie Ray, owner; H. C. Ray, builder.

1 family frame house, 220 Woodward street, cost \$12,000; Chappis Bros., owners and builders.

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DEATH OF MRS. TUCKER

Mrs. Marion A. Tucker died Monday at Bradford Court, Newton Centre, where she had been living since last September. She was the widow of William H. Tucker, and was 82 years of age. Mrs. Tucker was native of Barre, and in Newton she was member of the Emmanuel Baptist Church. She is survived by a sister, Mrs. V. L. Orcutt of San Francisco, Calif., a daughter, Miss Ethelia M. Tucker, and a son, Howard H. Tucker, both of Newton Centre; and a daughter, Mrs. Carl H. Gale of Pittsfield.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon in the Newton Cemetery chapel.

REAL ESTATE

John T. Burns & Sons report the sale of the factory property at 109 Gardner street, West Roxbury, comprising a frame and stucco building with 4000 feet of floor space, situated on about an acre of land, all valued at \$15,000. George M. Miller of Newton gave title to Catherine C. Prince of Everett.

Vincent E. Squires has purchased from Earl and Amy Lawson Carlton of Lynn, lots 19 and 19-A on Edgehill road, Chestnut Hill. The total area of the lots is about 20,000 sq. ft., and the value \$8,000. John T. Burns & Sons were the brokers.

Burns & Sons also report the sale of a lot of land on Reservoir Avenue, Chestnut Hill, for Russell H. Potter, Jr., to Francis E. Brown. The lot contains 11,430 sq. ft. and is valued at \$6,000. Mr. Brown intends to erect a high grade single dwelling immediately.

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2 family frame house, 250 Watertown street, cost \$15,000; I. Kaufman, owner and builder.

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1 family frame house, 109 Brackett street, cost \$8000; Emil Richter, owner and builder.

2 family frame house, 42 Whittemore road, cost \$12,000; H. L. Nelson, owner and builder.

2 family frame house, 50 Whittemore road, cost \$1,000; H. L. Nelson, owner and builder.

1 family frame house, 40 Salisbury road, cost \$6500; Elander Bros., owners and builders.

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2 family frame house, 153 Cherry street, cost \$10,000; Frank Sherman, owner and builder.

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January 1, 1927.

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WHEREAS, a certain instrument pur-

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—Mr. Alfred Sheldon of Farlow road is leaving this week on a four months' business trip to South America and the Mediterranean.

—The annual meeting and dinner of the Eliot Church was held in the Chapel Thursday evening and there was an unusually large attendance. The dinner was at six thirty, followed by annual reports, and a program of readings and pictures.

—Miss Alice Loveland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Loveland of Ruthven road and Miss Charlotte Aubin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Aubin of Copley street, are sailing Saturday, January 22 on the S. S. Homeric for Italy, and will spend much of the time in Florence.

—Miss Ethel Leginska, conductor of the Boston Philharmonic Orchestra, will speak in the Methodist Church next Sunday evening at 7.30, on the "Message of Great Music and Religion." Miss Lydia Gray will sing several selections accompanied by Miss Leginska to illustrate the lecture.

—At the annual meeting of the Newton Federation of Women's Church Activities to be held at Grace Church next Tuesday afternoon, Miss Katherine Hardwick, of the Simmons College School for Social Workers will be the speaker. Miss Hardwick has taken for her subject: "Some New Methods of Meeting Old Ideas in Social Work," and those who have heard her speak of her as a worth while and wide-awake speaker.

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NEWTON CORNER BUSINESS MEN MEET

Elect Harold Moore As President Of New Organization

The second monthly meeting and dinner of the Newton Corner Business Associates was held Tuesday evening at the Hunnewell Club. Despite the blizzard which had been raging, forty attended. Following the dinner, Harold Moore, of Moore & Moore, opened the business session. Albert Walker of the Brackett Coal Company, who had been officiating as temporary secretary, read the minutes of the previous meeting. The committee which had been appointed to bring in nominations for officers made its reports. The following were unanimously elected as officers:—President, Harold Moore; 1st Vice-President, Andrew J. Ford; 2nd Vice-President, Richard Dwyer; 3rd Vice-President, Frank Perry; Treasurer, George Campbell; Secretary, Albert Walker.

A discussion arose as to changes in traffic conditions at Newton Corner and it was voted to appoint a committee of five to study the situation. It was the consensus of opinion that a traffic tower should be erected at Nonantum Square and that the practice of compelling cars coming from Watertown to circle the Trust Company building before they can travel East, should be discontinued. It was the opinion of the majority who spoke that instead of making a detour around Hall and Centre streets, such cars should go directly to the left along Washington street.

The matter of a bus line between Newton and the South Side of the city, along Centre street, was also discussed. Mr. John T. Burns advocated this improved transportation as being necessary to furnish proper facility for the residents of those newer sections which have been developed on the Towle estate, the Converse estate, and those other new neighborhoods between Newton Corner and Newton Highlands. Alderman Hodgdon of the Traffic Committee of the Aldermen, was asked to

give his views on this matter. He stated that while there is a difference of opinions on most matters of this kind coming before the Aldermen, he could assure those present that his committee will be glad to listen to the various views on this matter and would govern its recommendations to conform with the needs of the city and to assist in providing proper facilities for the newer sections. Alderman Fred Hawkins, Chairman of the License Committee, briefly explained the committees which will have to act on petitions for new bus routes.

TWELFTH NIGHT REVEL

A Twelfth Night Revel was given by the Channing Guild in the Channing Church parlors on Twelfth Night, January 6th. For that evening, the church parlors were transformed into a mediaeval, baronial hall; shields and ancient weapons, damask hangings and rare stufs from the Orient, covered the walls, while at one end, an elaborate throned dias was raised for the Revels' King and Queen. There two were chosen by lot, the kingly honor falling on Albert Palmer, while the queenly mantle was worn by Miss Jean Howard. The regal pair were attended by a large court of honor, including three noble dukes, Robert Russell, James Wright, and Philip Nichols; three fair duchesses, Ruth Pearson, Edith Curtis and Mary Scofield; a lord chancellor, Leonard Gifford; a Court Jester, Wallace Rand, and a trumpeter, Alice Barney. All were richly robed in the height of fashion, for the year 1347.

An extensive entertainment was given before their Majesties and court; a worker of black magic displayed his skill; there was music and dancing, and later on, the Masque of Pyramus and Thisbe, given by a company of strolling players, among whom were Dr. L. H. Taylor, Mr. Dan Smith, Mr. C. C. Smith, and others. After the lamented and lingering demises of most of this troupe, dancing was enjoyed by all the court their many invited guests, all of whom were gaily dressed in the costumes of the period.

MRS. ELIZABETH S. DENNIS

Mrs. Elizabeth S. Dennis, wife of Fred H. Dennis of 2122 Washington street, Lower Falls, died Wednesday. She was born in London, England, 72 years ago and had resided in this city for 35 years. Besides her husband she is survived by two sons, George and Fred Dennis of Lower Falls, and four daughters, Mrs. Louis Trip of Washington, D. C., Mrs. Waldo G. Leland of Paris, France, Mrs. Harold Chisholm of Laconia, N. H., and Miss Violia Dennis of Lower Falls. A son, Victor L. Dennis, was killed in Texas in 1918 while dying in the aviation service of the United States Army.

The funeral service will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 in St. Mary's Church, Lower Falls. Interment will be in St. Mary's Cemetery.



HAROLD MOORE

VICTORY DAY

Through the combined efforts of the Newton W. C. T. U. and the West Newton W. C. T. U. the public flags of the city will be flown on Prohibition Day. Letters on the subject are printed herewith:

Hon. Edwin O. Childs, Mayor

City of Newton. City Hall

Dear Sir:

In commemoration of the seventh Anniversary of National Constitutional Prohibition, will you please authorize the raising of the National flag from sunrise to sunset, on all municipal buildings under your jurisdiction throughout the City of Newton, on Sunday, Jan. 16, 1927? It is well to impress upon the minds of our children the blessings which have come to them and to our Nation because of this great and good law.

Respectfully yours,

(Authorized)

MARY L. SWEATT,
President West Newton W. C. T. U.
KATHERINE L. S. GODDARD,
President Newton W. C. T. U.
Newton Highlands, Mass.
Jan. 10, 1927.

Mayor's Office, West Newton,
January 11, 1927.Mrs. K. L. S. Goddard,
Newton Highlands, Mass.

I thank you for your letter. You will be glad to know that I have asked the City Messenger to see to it that the flags are displayed at the City Hall and other city buildings on Sunday, January 16, 1927. The School flags are under the School department, as a rule these flags are only displayed on school days.

Appreciating the work which your organizations are doing,

Yours very truly,

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Oak Hall Stand	4.00
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SPORT NOTES

Some five years ago a freshman, E. B. Curtis, came out for the Newton track team and electrified all the old-timers by winning a place for himself, and also a letter in his first year. Due to his moving about many lost touch with him, but he is now at Brown where he is deemed to have an excellent chance of making the middle distance events. He is a short, stocky runner whose ability to race rather than to run has made him a good man in his event.

At the New Preparatory School in Cambridge, a continuation of Widow Nolen's institution, is one Newton boy, Arthur Dow. He reported for hockey practise last week, and is expected to be one of the regulars on the newly formed team. He is a transfer from Worcester Academy where he gained considerable attention as a swimmer and as a tennis player.

On the Stone School hockey team the forward job is well taken care of in the person of Holmes Whitmore, last year's wing at Newton. He is easily the class of the hockey players on the team, and with the experience that he has had makes a man that is most valuable. Already he is the high scorer, besides having the honor of scoring on Andover.

Wednesday night's hockey game at New Haven between Yale and Boston University was marked by the playing of two local youths. Yale came fast in the final session with five tallies bringing their total to 7 against 3 for the visitors. Dick Vaughan led the Blue scorers with three goals. For B. U. a West Newton youth, "Gyn" Lawless, was the outstanding player. He dominated the game and repeatedly broke into Yale's territory before being stopped by the defense. A scoreless second period was due largely to the fact that Lawless was in possession of the puck a great part of the time but he was powerless to penetrate the Yale goal.

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THE WEEK IN NEWTON SPORTS

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SPORT CALENDAR

Track

Saturday, Jan. 22nd: Newton vs. B. C. High at Newtonville.
Saturday, Jan. 29th: Newton vs. Brookline at Brookline.

Swimming

Wed., Jan. 26th: Newton vs. Rindge at Newton "Y".

Basketball

Sat., Jan. 22nd: Newton Y vs. Worcester Y at Newton.
Sat., Jan. 29th: Newton Y vs. Cambridge Y at Newton.

Hockey

Sat., Jan. 22nd: Newton vs. Belmont.
Mon., Jan. 24th: Newton vs. Belmont at Belmont.
Thurs., Jan. 27th: Newton vs. Arlington at Arlington.

SWIMMERS WIN 37 TO 13

The Newton high school swimming team triumphed over the Boston High school of Commerce men, 37 to 13, Wednesday afternoon in the Newton Y pool. The orange and black was not forced to extend itself to win the majority of the events. Doran was the star of the visiting team with two firsts,—the 40-yard freestyle and the 40-yard backstroke,—counting for ten points. The visitors collected their other three tallies by taking thirds in the dive, breaststroke and century swims.

Lloyd Osborne was Newton's star winning the 100-yard free-style with plenty to spare. Esseen collected eight points with first in the breaststroke and second in the dive. He nearly won the dive but Charley Green nosed him out. Newton really won the relay with Lodge giving Marshall a half length lead at the very start. Marshall and Wakefield gained on their opponents and Osborne was content to swim even with the Commerce anchor giving Newton the race by a full tank-length.

The summary:
Relay race (160-yard)—Won by Newton. (Lodge, Marshall, Wakefield, Osborne).
Dive—Won by Green, N.; second, Esseen, N.; third, Collyer, C.
40-yard freestyle—Won by Doran, C.; second, Soule, N.; third, Durrell, N. Time 22 1/8s.

40-yard backstroke—Won by Esseen, N.; second, Stratton, N.; third, McAuliffe, C. Time 29 4/5s.

100-yard freestyle—Won by Osborne, N.; second, Lodge, N.; third, Collyer, C. Time 29 1/2s.

40-yard backstroke—Won by Doran, C.; second, Wakefield, N.; third, Reed, N. Time 26 4/5s.

STILL UNDEFEATED

The Newton High school hockey team is still undefeated. Its string of victories was stretched to six this week when Rindge was shut out 2 to 0 on Monday. A game was scheduled for Wednesday at Southboro with the St. Mark's six but was postponed because of poor ice. In its six games the orange and black has amassed a total of 28 goals to three for its opponents. Spain still leads with 11 counters with Capt. Stubbs second with 7 and Brown third with 4.

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SHOULD WIN EASILY

Tomorrow afternoon the Newton high school track team will stage its first inter-school dual meet of the 1927 season on the newly banked track in the old gymnasium at the high school.

Boston high school of commerce will be the opponents and Newton should not be forced to win. The new banks have been completed and the orange and black now has one of the finest, if not the finest, indoor schoolboy track in this part of the state.

Last Saturday the Medford High school team, which is rated as a possible contender for the state title, swamped the Hub school 55 1/2 to 12 1/2 on the Medford track. Tomorrow's affair will give track fans a line on the Newton-Medford dual meet next month, which will be staged at Medford.

Newton should have nearly as easy a time tomorrow afternoon as Medford did last week. The dash, hurdles, 300-yard, 600-yard run and the relay looks to be all Newton with at least six points assured in the first four events and five in the relay. The possibility is that the wearers of the orange and black will finish one, two in these events. B. C. High is considered a chance in the 1000 although McCrudden will be the Newton man to breast the tape first if a Newton man wins.

The local school is strongest in the field events, and it will not be surprising to see them clean up more than once. Hammond and Ebelhare will no doubt take the first two places in the high jump, Hammond and Fullerton the broad jump and Macy and Gatchell look to be the best in the shot put.

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SCHOOL NOTES

F. A. Day Junior High

The Assembly held on Wednesday morning was unique among the annals of such performances. The entertainment was in charge of Miss Pierce. It took the form of a spelling bee, with contestants chosen from the three grades. An attempt has been made by Miss Pierce to find a good oral speller to send in to the Big Brother matches and to bring back the cup. So far those sent in have not been made weary by prolonged standing!

Mr. Thurber announced the rules of Wednesday's game in his usual genial manner and the fun started gaily off. Once around and no one failed: twice around and only one was down. The word was "difference." The lists used in the Junior High were exhausted and Mr. Thurber found it necessary to resort to Senior High school words. Even then the close of the assembly period found eleven members still standing. One boy went under on the word "pneumatic" but Harry Gray, of Room 24, volunteered to spell it and did it correctly. Of those standing, one was a member of the seventh grade, four were eighth graders, and the others were ninth. Mr. Carr suggested that the oral battle be continued at some later date with a large unabridged dictionary as the weapon.

Mason School

Miss Eleanor Claire of the New England Dairy Food Council has given the girls of the cooking classes health talks illustrated by slides. These lectures bring forceful lessons to the girls and supplement their cooking course.

The Grammar School hockey season has started. A league, both Junior and Senior, has been formed, and the first games were played Tuesday. Eight schools are represented, and if decent ice is provided at both Bullough's Pond and Crystal Lake, a hot race for the league leadership will develop. Mason won its first Senior League game from the Emerson School 6-0.

Mr. Brownell, a new man in the Newton School Physical Education Department, is planning an indoor track meet in the new high school building for the grammar schools. We are sure that if this scheme goes through, it will be one of the biggest athletic events of the winter, and will undoubtedly become an annual affair.

Fathers' Night will be observed at the meeting of the Newton Centre School Association, January 26, when Miss Margaret Slattery will speak on the subject, "Tomorrow Looks at Its Ancestors." Miss Slattery's addresses are always full of inspiration, and the Association is fortunate in securing her for this occasion. The meeting will be held at 8 P.M. in Mason School Hall and is open to all.

Lasell

On Friday, January 21, Mrs. L. M. Mead speaks to the students at Bragdon Hall at 4:30 o'clock on current events.

A Missionary Campfire will be held on Sunday evening, January 23, at 6:15 o'clock. This meeting will be in charge of Chaskar P. Hivale.

The Seniors are planning a sports party for Saturday evening, January 22, on the Recreation Grounds, with tobogganing and skating as the chief attractions, followed by refreshments and dancing in the gymnasium.

Hyde School

The boys of the graduating class in the Hyde School are interested and enthusiastic about the "American Legion School Contest." It is a competition which will develop high ideals and fine qualities in our young citizens, and bring forth true and able leaders to accomplish future duties. From now until May, when the contest closes, our boys will all endeavor to prove their worthiness for such an honor. Nominations will be held and the boy receiving the highest final vote will be recommended from our school as a deserving candidate for the award.

The representative from Hyde for the Big Brother Spelling Bee last week was Betty Benson of the seventh grade. We know we can't all be the winners, but Betty kept up her record for some time and hopes to try again next month.

The Hyde School has been fortunate in receiving a \$50 gift from the Philanthropic Committee of the Woman's Club. This money will be used for the purchase of phonograph records for the music appreciation classes.

The health record for January shows an advancement in the "whites," and in one building we have eight out of ten rooms with no "reds."

The members of the graduating class held a recent meeting for the purpose of discussing whether or not they wished to have a class memorial. The unanimous vote decided that a gift should be left in behalf of their appreciation and love for Hyde. It was further agreed that each member would donate one dollar for this purpose.

Contests and more contests with prizes are given. Anyone in our seventh and eighth grades may take advantage and enter the "Essay Contests." Stories on alcohol, tobacco, or other drugs may be submitted by the seventh graders for the prize offered by the W. C. T. U. In addition, a clever thought and well directed pen may complete a poster for the "poster contest" on this subject offered to the eighth grades. Still another is open to the eighth grades.

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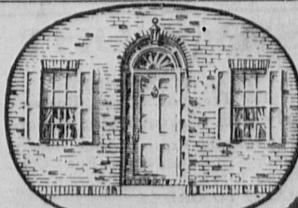
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ONE THING AND ANOTHER

Written by LEVERETT D. G. BENTLEY

Some people have no difficulty whatever in picking a quarrel, while others refuse to fight when provoked to the limit and beyond. Personally, I do not feel that I belong in either class. Certainly I have never been accused of extreme pugnacity and on the other hand I feel I cannot permit too gross an insult to pass unresented. I merely make this preliminary statement in order that the readers of this column may better understand the circumstances hereinafter described.

Like all other patrons of the Boston Elevated I have suffered from time to time that annoyance that comes when the person in the seat behind is reading a newspaper and suddenly decides to turn a page. Of course, if he does it with thought of people in the seat in front, he has no occasion to worry. But if he is one of those careless creatures who never thinks of anybody but themselves, well, then you will know every time he turns a page for you will get it in the hat or perhaps the back of the head.

For some months it has seemed to me that rudeness was more prevalent, particularly on the cars of the Elevated. I found myself turning to the person in the seat behind—that is at such times when I sat close to the window—and glaring savagely. The reason was that I firmly believed that he or she was poking at my hat with a newspaper. The fact that my bitterest expression made no difference disturbed me, for I felt that I was not creating a sense of fear, which, of course, is a blow to one's pride. It is terrible to believe one is slipping as an awe-inspiring citizen.

It took me some time to find out that there was no person or persons responsible—at least directly. Those upon whom the blame rests are they who saw fit to install in the cars the gum and confectionery slot-machines. These funny little boxes are at a level with my hat brim when I am seated, and consequently they make one feel as if a minor assault was being perpetrated.

I kept silent on this matter until I heard the voluntary testimony of a Newton Centre friend. He said that when he dropped into the window seat he would strike his shoulder on the machine. It took him some time, he declared, before he kept the presence of the contrivance in his mind and thereby reduced the number of black and blue spots on his anatomy. "And I had another experience," said he, "which upset me for a time and which was, after all, a good joke on me. I had purchased a quantity of cough syrup—one of those compounds which do their work well but which represent a variety of drugs.

"I had placed the bottle in my pocket, confident that the stopper was secure and everything as it should be. Soon there came to my nostrils an odd odor. Great Scott, thought I, has the cork come out? What kind of stuff am I expected to take to cure my cough. Already I am prejudiced against it.

"When I thrust my hand in my pocket I was relieved to find the bottle intact. What can this smell be, I wondered. Well, you have guessed it—it was the gum."

"Say," says a brief note from one who read last week's reference to boys of this generation and of the past, "do you remember the blue reefers we kids had and the skull caps that we pulled down over our ears to keep them warm. Those were the happy days."

Yes, I recall a blue reefer that was among my proudest possessions. Years afterwards, when we came to know Hon. Robert M. Washburn, we learned that he was about the only civilian who clung to this form of male attire. Sailors still wear them as a part of the official uniform, but "Bob" Washburn had his made for him and for that matter may do so at the present time.

—Jim dash—

It isn't always possible to follow the example of the poet and spring from one's bed each morning with a song in one's heart. There are conditions which on some mornings preclude this delightful way of beginning the day. The prospect of a lot of snow to be shovelled is apt to prevent one from trying to outdo the birds in the meadow. That, at least, has been my experience.

I have no intention of lamenting over the duties that fall upon those whose obligation, under the city ordinances, is to remove all snow from paths and sidewalks within 24 hours, etc., etc. My kick is about the snow-ploughs that are run on the highways. I believe that is not the street department but one of our great public utilities which is to blame for my unhappiness.

The householder, after clearing the walks, thinks it would be nice to have a path through the snow bank to the street. This, if he owns a car which he is driving in the winter, is imperative. If he isn't, there are other cars which will stop at his house so it is best to have this path. Well, he digs and shovels and thinks that he has done his duty when along comes a snow-plough and the path is blocked again.

I know of one householder who became so angry that he went out and packed the snow on the car tracks. That form of revenge is too fatiguing for me. Has anybody anything else to suggest.

Way back in the days when yeast cakes sold for two cents I used to see a fine pair of horses attached to a large wagon containing paper bags, wrapping paper, string, etc. It seems that the driver supplied all the stores of our village. He does so now for that matter. It was the excellent condition of the horses and the care which the driver exercised in handling them that interested me. I thought of the whole thing as a real Massachusetts institution.

I was a bit surprised the other day to find the same driver seated on a great auto truck. He was delivering the same commodities and stopping

at the same stores. It was the old story—the auto had driven out the horse and wagon.

Although I had never spoken to the man in all these years I couldn't help pausing to ask, "Where are those wonderful horses?" He smiled in reply. "The roads," said he, "are too hard for them. For over 30 years I drove horses but I can't do it now, it's a crime. They can't take the hills. The surface of the roads nearly kill them. We tried the most scientific way of shoeing we could find, and the most humane way, of course, but the horses can't help from falling, so we have to have a truck."

"You surely have a first class machine there," I observed.

"Yes, but I don't care a hang for it," he answered.

"You miss the horses, I take it?"

"You bet I do," came the fervent

thing in the idea there might be an advantage, especially when the streets are covered with slush. How would it do to wear a slicker and have it generously smeared with mica or whatever the substance?

We might have it on our overshoes and our gloves and possibly on our face in event of a tumble forward that caused us to bury our nose in the mixture of snow and rain.

I confess I haven't any definite suggestions to offer but I submit this idea and am willing to share the royalties with any manufacturer who handles grease or similar products. Something, it seems to me, is needed to keep humanity from slipping as frequently as it does and this greasing process appears to have helped many a swimmer travel faster, longer and swifter. Let's think about it and take it up at the next meeting.

This week we have decided to award the prize of a hand-painted rubber walking stick to the man who says "Regular old-fashioned winter, isn't it?"

LADIES PLAY WHIST

I have been wondering if this idea that swimmers have adopted cannot be used by those of us who are content with struggling for meagre honors on dry land without attempting to cross channels in a bathing suit. I refer to that practice of covering oneself with a coating of grease or mica or whatever it may be.

It seems to me that if there is any

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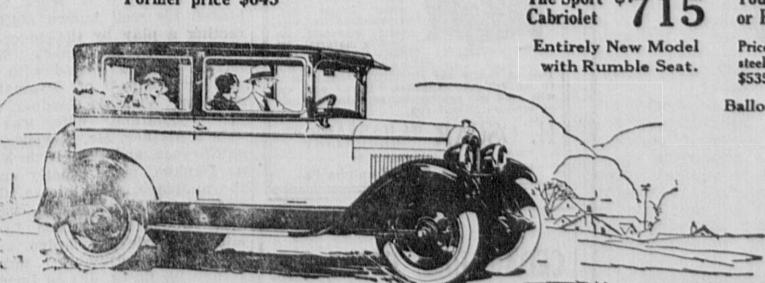
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WOMEN'S CLUBS

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RECENT EVENTS

Newton Community Club

On January 13th, the meeting of the Newton Community Club was open to all the women of Newton, with a special welcome to the new members of the Club. The preliminary business included an appeal from the president, Mrs. Russell that all who had not contributed to the Christmas Seal fund do so immediately, as Newton is behind in its quota for this most worthy cause. Mrs. Fred Loveland, 20 Ruthven road, is chairman of the committee in charge. Mrs. Russell also asked members to furnish toys for the children of preschool age at the Stearns School Center. She called attention to the Bulletin, especially to the hikes planned by the Health Committee.

Miss Leathers, executive secretary of the Newton Y. M. C. A., was introduced and spoke briefly of the work of that organization which is showing most gratifying results in growth and usefulness. The music of the afternoon was furnished by Miss Mary Gannon of the All Newton Music School who gave several pleasing violin selections, accompanied by Mrs. Mitchell.

The President then introduced Mr. Phidelah Rice, dean of the Leland Powers School and principal of the Phidelah Rice Summer School, who read Bernard Shaw's "Candida" in a most delightful way. It was remarkable how he succeeded in differentiating the characters by intonations of his voice and by facial expression, with comparatively few gestures.

He was especially fine in his portrayal of the efficient and ready-tongued stenographer, Flossie. The conversation between the intense young poet, Eugene, and the practical and uncompromising Flossie, in which she is taken by surprise when he asks if her typewriter could not take poetry, and her startled betrayal of "her complaint," secret adoration of the rector, was most amusingly done. It was only equaled by Mr. Rice's lightning change from the enthusiastic, soulful, and concealed young poetic lover, to the uncultured, somewhat boorish father of Candida. So masterly was each delineation, each character became real to the eyes as well as to the hearing.

The large audience enjoyed it so much and applauded so persistently that Mr. Rice kindly gave an "encore" by reading a poem by Dr. Richard Burton, of the University of Minnesota, entitled "If I Had the Time."

At the close of the reading, the corresponding secretary read the names of the fifty members recently elected and those who were present—about twenty-five or thirty—came forward and stood with Mrs. Russell to receive the greeting and welcome of the rest of the Club members.

The ladies of group sixteen, with Mrs. Irving D. Blanchard as leader, acted as hostesses for the afternoon.

Auburndale Woman's Club

The Auburndale Woman's Club President's Day was observed Thursday afternoon, January 13th, at the Auburndale Club. Special guests included Mrs. Carl Shraeder, Mrs. Joseph Congdon, Mrs. Ellis Spear, Jr., and many presidents from neighboring Clubs. Messages of greeting were delivered by representatives from the State Federation, from the director of the Twelfth District, and from the Newton Federation.

Leginska, leader of the Boston Philharmonic Orchestra, came with the story of her efforts and aspira-

tions to make available to great numbers of people in Boston real symphony concerts. She begged the support of Club women in this project, and her enthusiasm and charm would surely attract much interest in the work.

Mrs. George Grey, soprano, sang a group of songs, among them two nursery rhymes, the music for which was written by Leginska—"Shockingly ultra modern," she said, but voted delightful by the listeners.

The Program Committee, Mrs. J. Warren Bucknam, chairman provided a splendid entertainment. Old familiar ballads were sung by the following group of local artists: Mrs. Kendall, Mrs. Lyman W. Gore, Mrs. A. L. Wilson, Mrs. Arthur L. Shaw, Mrs. Joseph S. Hoyt, Mrs. Wickliffe J. Spaulding, Mrs. William A. Jarvis, Mrs. Leon G. Horne, and Mr. Ralph E. Keyes. As page, Miss Dorothy Estabrook announced the songs which were illustrated by living pictures, each in a suitable setting:

Mistress Mary Miss Katherine Braithwaite Sweet and Low Mrs. Theodore Dearborn Joan of Arc.....Miss Helen Hall Rory O'More Miss Eleanor Davis, Miss Muriel Conn Carry Me Back to Old Virginia "Alice of the Club" School Days....Mrs. Stuart Southgate Comin' Thru the Rye Mrs. Ralph B. Weston Love's Old Sweet Song Mrs. Norman C. Cate In Old Madrid Mrs. Howard G. Musgrave The Star Spangled Banner Mrs. Charles D. Ansley

Tea was served in the lounge where Club members met the guests and enjoyed a social hour.

Newton Centre Woman's Club

The second Bridge Party of the year, which took place January 12th, under the management of Mrs. William S. Radway, was a joy to be long remembered.

Many Club members were there, with out of town guests, and many were the cordial words of appreciation heard from both members and guests.

A large corps of helpers, both younger and older, circulated about the tables offering refreshments and gifts, and the atmosphere was so very inviting and delightful that no one cared to go away when the end of the party was reached—at four o'clock—but little groups gathered together for a while longer.

Mrs. Radway reported after the returns were all in a most successful financial result.

Miss Grace Weston, in her talk on old furniture—on Monday morning—gave a wealth of information which was eagerly absorbed by her audience. Early and late Jacobean—boule and marquetry—and many other words, have been taken on new and inspired meanings, since listening to her, and looking at the photographs which she brings from the Art Museum for illustrations.

The committee having the Birthday Party, January 27th, in charge, is discouraged because no one seems to have heard about it, although forty years is an age worth celebrating—and hearing about—in the life of a Club.

Perhaps they will be amazed to discover on that date that they had no real reason for discouragement!

Newtonville Woman's Club

The Club, since the beginning of its year, has lost three members by death—Mrs. Walter Brown, Mrs. W. F. Wyeth and Mrs. Frank Miller. Mrs. Miller has been a member of the Club for over 25 years, and was (Continued on Page 9)

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By Harold P. Carver, N. H. S. '26

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Earliest pleas for additional funds for church school work, and for the new chorus choir were made by Mr. Winslow, Mr. Alexander and Mr. Davidson, and \$1500 more than last year was appropriated for the needs of these two departments of church work.

The last feature on the program consisted of a brief address by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Arthur M. Ellis. Dr. Ellis spoke quite strongly in favor of the idea of the family church, where the children are found in the family pew with their parents. He said he had not been delivering any special sermons to children because he hoped to make the whole service interesting to them so that they would attend with the older people and not be escorted out of the church soon after the services had begun. He thought that people should be tolerant of them even if they were a little restless.

Dr. Ellis also spoke of the duties of the minister and showed how a church renders a service to the community by allowing its pastor to take his time for addresses and conferences in behalf of various civic and religious movements, also in his ministry in the homes where sorrow has come. Dr. Ellis also referred to the retirement of two of the officers with warm appreciation which he compared to the retirement of an automobile which after being repaired was able to go many thousand miles more. So, he said, Mr. Boyden has retired as clerk and we have made him moderator, and we shall find plenty of work for Mr. Lyon to do.

He spoke about church attendance and dwelt upon the benefits that come from regularity of presence at the church services.

In beginning his remarks Dr. Ellis had the people rise in groups according to the years when they were admitted into church membership. They had previously been seated at tables according to the date of their admission. Those who joined at the earliest dates were greeted with much applause. Dr. Ellis remarked that the large number who came in at the later dates showed how changing the population of Newtonville is. He felt that this made it necessary for people to take pains to speak to new members and be sure that no one gets the impression that people are cold or indifferent here.

The report of the clerk showed that there had been 79 additions to the church during the year, a larger number than in any previous year with one exception. The present membership is 709.

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the time as a wing, and the rest of the years as a defense man. From hockey she turned to the court game where she was as successful as before. She made the team in her freshman year and never relinquished her position on the team until her senior year when the pressure of outside things caused her to give up the sport that year. As a representative, she was picked regularly by her classmates to speak for them in Council, being elected in her sophomore, junior and sub-senior years. This Student Council was disbanded in favor of the new Governing Board of the Associates that has within the last two years made its appearance as the latest step in student government. Mary was one of the girls who could and would direct with the result that she often was given the opportunity for doing so. When the Newtonite was established she volunteered to be one of the reporters. As a reporter she was a success for no one worked any harder, or more enthusiastically for news than she did, and as a result more than one clever account of the doings of some organization came from her pen. The Newtonite kept her on their staff in her last year, and then the senior publication took her from the weekly to put her at work on the year book, with which she put in a great deal of time. She also attained honors in a scholastic way her last season by being chosen as a member of the French Club, and in the same way she was asked to join the Mathematics Club. Mary was so whole-hearted in all she did that she left a lasting impression of pent-up energy, and of the real value of easy friendliness that characterized her.

The Newton delegations at Connecticut seem to favor the magic number two, for we find that two more people have enrolled this year, and are busy at this moment trying to figure on the possibilities of making a good mark in that coming examination. Frances Brooks, whose name according to all that know her is Peter, and Hilda Piser of Waban have dared the windswept hill, and are members of the class whose color-select is green. Peter came originally from the mountain state of Vermont where she learned that bewildering fast game of basket-ball that she plays. She had no difficulty in making the varsity her first year out, and her eye was so sharp that she was the leading scorer of the team. In consequence the letter winners chose her to be the leader of the team her final year, an honor of some importance, for it is seldom given to newcomer at Newton. Peter lived up to all their hopes and in 1926 led the girls team through a glorious season, which included a startling victory over the rival city Waltham. She did not stop at basket-ball, but also made the tennis team which was the champion of the Girls' League for two years, and also was on the volleyball team for her two seasons that she was at the school. In her last terms she was chosen as a member of the Mathematics Club, the French Club, and the largest of all the English Club, showing that she was more than an athlete. On the Newtonian staff she

was responsible for the athletic department, turning out a creditable piece of work. At Connecticut she has continued in her way, being on the hockey squad, and is now out for basket-ball. As she was at Newton, she is popular because of her good nature and the ability to make all others in contact with her laugh and see the comic sides of life. The other girl, Hilda Piser, is one of the most brilliant of all the students of mathematics that have graduated from Newton. She was in the Alpha Gamma Tau for five consecutive years, being a member ever since this body was founded, and due to her interest at least in part, the group became popular with all students of that subject. Not satisfied with this affiliation she joined the English Club her last two years at the school, and then became a member of the Ex Libris, or Latin Club, in which group she was the collector of the taxes. She also became interested in the work of the Newtonite, doing some writing for it in her senior terms. Besides her club interest she was also among the many girls that had an interest in music and in the art of being able to sing. As a result she was a member of the Glee Club, and on graduation day sang in the Senior Chorus.

COMMONWEALTH COUNTRY CLUB

Mrs. George W. Taylor and Mrs. W. Horace Workman have charge of the Matinee Auction Bridge Party out at the Commonwealth Country Club on Monday afternoon, Jan. 24th. Assisting them at this club function will be Messes. Payson T. Lowell, Sidney B. Sargent, E. O. Saunders, William H. Short, J. H. Shortell and John H. Sullivan, Jr. The Fatherless Children of France will be the beneficiary.

ADJOURNED ANNUAL MEETING

The adjourned Annual Meeting of the Nurses' Home on the Hospital grounds at Newton Lower Falls on Tuesday, January 25, 1927, at 4:15 P. M. Proposed amendments to the By-laws providing for the appointment by the Executive Committee of a Superintendent of Nurses will be acted upon.

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Newtonville

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The Woman's Guild will hold a whist party in St. John's Parish House next Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. W. A. Richardson of Highland Ave. are spending a few months in St. Petersburg, Florida.

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The Barnes met Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Warren on Beacon street, Newton Centre.

The Men's Club of the Central Church are rehearsing for the Minstrel show which they are to give early in February.

Mrs. H. C. Bond entertained at bridge in honor of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hendrick who are to leave soon for a Mediterranean trip.

Mr. and Mrs. John Edward Cox (Mary Hoyt) of Walker street, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, born December 24th.

Alice Roberts has obtained a building permit for a one-family house at 66 Walker street, to cost \$6000. Howard Conrad is the builder.

A building permit has been issued for a dwelling at 28 Morse road to cost \$11,000. George Haynes is the owner and L. A. Comeau the builder.

Miss Katharine Kimball of the Colonna Apartments gave a piano recital which was broadcast from Station WEEI on the evening of January 13th.

A benefit whist party will be held on Thursday evening, January 27th at Dennison Hall, after which an old-time dance will be a feature. Refreshments will be served.

Next Sunday afternoon in St. John's Parish House there will be a moving picture of the work of the Episcopal Church in the Boston Metropolitan District.

The Ladies Aid of the Universalist Church will hold a food sale in the Parish House, Washington Park, Saturday, January 29, from 2 to 5 P. M. Mrs. Wales, chairman.

Mr. John F. Gilbert entertained eight tables of bridge for her sister, Mrs. E. P. Hendrick at the Bonnar Atwood Studio, Newtonville, on Friday afternoon. Prizes were won by Mrs. Harold Bond, Mrs. Spencer Arend, Mrs. Andrew Foss, Mrs. Joseph Hobbs and Mrs. William Hanna. Mrs. Hendrick is leaving the last of the month for a tour of the Mediterranean.

On Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. Coons entertained the members of the choir at the Parsonage on Lake avenue.

A one-family brick dwelling is being built at 874 Commonwealth avenue by the Carpenter Realty Trust. It will cost \$25,000.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Williams of Hobart road leave Friday for Florence Villa, Florida, where they will spend the next six weeks.

The Flower Chapter of the Methodist Church held their monthly meeting at the home of Miss Julia Fowle on Norwood avenue.

On Saturday, Miss Miriam Boynton of Knowles street entertained a party of her little friends, the occasion being her 4th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Emery of Lake avenue entertained all the Sunday School teachers of the Methodist Church at dinner on Tuesday evening.

Miss Margaret Slattery will speak next Tuesday evening in the Mason School hall at the Fathers' night of the Newton Centre School Association.

At the annual meeting this week of the Longwood Cricket Club, George P. Gardner, Jr., was re-elected president, and Mr. Richard Harte a vice president.

The Annual Luncheon and Bridge party of the Newton Mothers' Club will be held at the Newton Centre Woman's Club on Monday afternoon, February 7th.

On February 6, at 4:00 P. M., the second Vesper Service will be held in the Unitarian Church. The Choir of the Church will render a special musical program and the speaker will be Dr. Archibald Davidson of Harvard University. His subject will be "The Relationship Between Music and Worship." Dr. Davidson's work at Appleton Chapel and at the Harvard Glee Club has made him one of the outstanding musical leaders in this country.

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Rev. G. L. Parker, who is preaching in the First Unitarian Church in Toledo for three Sundays, also gave an address on Wednesday, January 20, on Russia at the Annual Supper.

Preacher will be Dr. Albert C. Dieffenbach next Sunday, January 23, the preacher will be Dr. Albert C. Dieffenbach, Editor of the Christian Register. Dr. Dieffenbach's energy and wisdom in leading liberal religious thought to face the facts and dangers that threaten it, are well known. The Minister feels that in welcoming his friend to his pulpit, he is giving the people of the Church a real opportunity.

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Prof. William Z. Ripley of Brattleboro road, Newton Centre, was seriously injured Wednesday evening in an automobile accident in New York city.

Mrs. Ripley, accompanied by Miss Harper, was on his way to the Waldorf-Astoria to attend a social function. The cab in which they were riding was going north. At Twenty-fourth street an automobile operated by Marlon D'Giovanni, going south, swerved to avoid a truck emerging from the side street and crashed head on into the cab occupied by Professor Ripley and Miss Harper.

Mr. Ripley and Miss Harper were taken to the New York Hospital, where Professor Ripley was said to be suffering from lacerations of the scalp and a possible fracture of the skull.

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Mrs. John T. Croghan has been visiting in New Hampshire this week.

Mr. A. L. Stephen of Chestnut street has been having an attack of tonsillitis.

An extra Formal Dance is to be held at the Waban Neighborhood Club on Saturday evening.

Thresher of Collins road returned on Thursday last with her infant daughter, Sonia.

Mrs. Henry A. Symonds is entertaining her sister, Mrs. William J. Sanborn of Yarmouth.

Mrs. Robert J. Snow of Carlton road is to entertain the Monday Neighborhood Club next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Griffin had a dinner party last Saturday evening at their home on Carlton road.

Gardner H. Wiley left last Saturday for Philadelphia, where he has made new business connections.

At the annual meeting last night of the Victorian Club, Mr. John Wilcock was elected a vice-president.

Miss Edith Akeroyd of Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia, Pa., is the guest of Mrs. Hall Walker of Collins road.

At the annual meeting this week of the Longwood Cricket Club Mr. Donald M. Hill was elected secretary.

Mrs. Henry C. Robbins of Dorset road has been confined to the house with an attack of quinsy sore throat.

Mrs. Gifford La Clear returned Wednesday from Toy Town Tavern, where she has been spending the past week.

A Boston Pin Tournament for men bowlers of Waban will start next Monday evening at the Waban Neighborhood Club.

Mrs. Winchester of Pine Ridge road entertains her luncheon bridge club at Brae Burn Country Club on Monday next.

Mrs. Charles Barrows of Northampton has been visiting her sister, Mrs. William C. Holbrook of Pilgrim road this week.

Mrs. George W. Chase of Newton Highlands is spending the week at the home of her son, Mr. E. N. Chase, on Crofton road.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Matthews of Carlton road entertained the East and West Club at dinner and bridge on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Short entertained the members of their evening bridge club on Saturday last. Dinner preceded the game.

Mrs. J. E. Parker of Metacomet road gave a subscription luncheon yesterday the proceeds of which are to go to the Organ Fund.

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The Ladies Aid of the Universalist Church will hold a food sale in the Parish House, Washington Park, Saturday, January 29, from 2 to 5 P. M. Mrs. Wales, chairman.

Mr. John F. Gilbert entertained eight tables of bridge for her sister, Mrs. E. P. Hendrick at the Bonnar Atwood Studio, Newtonville, on Friday afternoon. Prizes were won by Mrs. Harold Bond, Mrs. Spencer Arend, Mrs. Andrew Foss, Mrs. Joseph Hobbs and Mrs. William Hanna. Mrs. Hendrick is leaving the last of the month for a tour of the Mediterranean.

On Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. Coons entertained the members of the choir at the Parsonage on Lake avenue.

A one-family brick dwelling is being built at 874 Commonwealth avenue by the Carpenter Realty Trust. It will cost \$25,000.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Williams of Hobart road leave Friday for Florence Villa, Florida, where they will spend the next six weeks.

The Flower Chapter of the Methodist Church held their monthly meeting at the home of Miss Julia Fowle on Norwood avenue.

On Saturday, Miss Miriam Boynton of Knowles street entertained a party of her little friends, the occasion being her 4th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Emery of Lake avenue entertained all the Sunday School teachers of the Methodist Church at dinner on Tuesday evening.

Miss Margaret Slattery will speak next Tuesday evening in the Mason School hall at the Fathers' night of the Newton Centre School Association.

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Miss Margaret Haskell and Miss Elizabeth Noyes have the pleasure of entertaining their fellow members of the Christian Era Study Club at their meeting on Monday, the 24th. Miss Haskell will read a paper on that exciting period of the American Revolution in which "Burgoyne and the Indians" played their appalling part. Miss Noyes, following out the same romantic period of our history—the topic which holds the attention of this Club for this year—will explain the attitude and experiences and abilities of

"The Farmers of New England and New York." The "farmers" were found to be anything but what the scornful title of the Britishers implied before that war was over!

Mrs. Edward T. Edmonds, of 153 Hancock street, will be the hostess.

C. L. S. C. OF NEWTON HIGHLANDS

"Essays and Travels of Montaigne" will be the topic of paper by Miss Adelaide R. Webster for the members of the Newton Highlands C. L. S. C. at their next meeting, Monday the 24th, at the home of Mrs. Andrew B. Wright. The French philosopher and essayist is visiting the Club members for two of their January meetings, the last one being given over to consideration of the events and influences of his life, and his essays as affected by these influences and by environment. The study of such a man, in character, in intellect, in spirituality, and in the outward token of all these as given in his writings can be made most valuable and helpful, as well as of entertaining merit.

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WOMEN'S CLUBS

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president in 1901-1902, and so it seemed most fitting that a special tribute should be paid to one who had given so many years of active service to the Club. Mrs. Caroline Johnson kindly consented to speak a few words at the meeting on Monday, as follows:

"In my thoughts, Mrs. Miller's dignified life here speaks for itself. Whatever she did was for the uplift of the community. She was President of your Club in 1901-1902. Later she was Vice-President of the Newton Federation of Women's Clubs. Her interest and work in her church were untiring.

"A strong character! While one might not always agree with her views, one had to respect her opinions. She was certainly 'Captain of Her Soul.' Some one has said, 'She was so kind,' and I wonder what more I could say if I talked on and on. Who is it that has said, 'Why, just the art of being kind is all this sad world needs'?

"I wish Mrs. Miller might have stayed with us a little longer to enjoy more fully the companionship of her little grandchildren, of whom she dearly loved to speak. I am sure that her presence will linger near them, and her influence be felt in their later lives.

"She was a home maker, and looked well to the ways of her household. A faithful wife, devoted mother, loyal friend, and kind neighbor. If the the loss to the Club, to the church and to the community is great, how much greater must be the loss to the little family that is left. May the Lord bless them and keep them, may He lift up the light of His countenance upon them and give them peace."

COMING EVENTS

SHAKESPEARE CLUB OF NEWTON HIGHLANDS

The Shakespeare lovers in the Club of Newton Highlands are enjoying once more that ever fascinating talk of Shakespeare: "Taming of the Shrew". Acts III and IV are to be the subject of the Quiz—always a delightful display of wit and repartee, not to mention understanding, and appreciative dissection—for their Saturday evening meeting on the 22nd. Mrs. W. J. Bicknell is in charge of this Quiz, and Mrs. F. S. Keith is hostess at her home 20 Hartford street.

Edward C. Sands, chairman, at which time Mrs. Frank E. Anderson, president of the Club from 1904 to 1908, will cut the birthday cake. Mrs. G. W. Ulmer of the Activities Committee chairman of the Food Sale to be held in the lobby of the Club House on the afternoon of the Birthday Party, January 27th.

The Rainbow Revue is to be given at the Club House February 3rd, 4th and 5th, under the auspices of the Activities Committee of the Club. This elaborately produced amateur show will be under the personal direction of the originator, Mr. C. Hassler Capron. A large part of the music was written by Louis V. Hafermehl and Lewis A. Harlow, and the dances were originated and trained by Mrs. Hazel Sands Welch. The special dances by Miss Sylvia Riley, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Stuart, were trained by no less a personage than Mrs. Lilla Viles Wyman. The principals in the performance will be Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Francis, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Stuart, Mr. Don Howard, and Miss Sylvia Riley, and the chorus will contain a large group of well-known dancers, including Miss Lorraine Liggett, Miss Mildred MacDonald, and Miss Agnes Hartridge.

The outstanding numbers are: "The Ballet of the Pansies", "Salted Peanuts", "The Land of Lace", and a one-act play, "The Chaperon", by Mrs. Helen Willard Howard, president of the Professional Woman's Club. Miss Dorothy Barton will do a solo dance in the "Moonbeam Fantasy."

The floor of the Club House Auditorium will be set cabaret style and reservation for tables may be made by calling Mrs. George Murphy, C. N. 914. The performance will be followed by general dancing at 10:30 to Lou Hafermehl's Orchestra.

The Committee in charge is as follows: Mrs. George J. Murphy, director of activities; Mrs. Cyrus P. Schirmer, chairman; Mrs. George F. Richardson, treasurer; Mrs. Stanley F. Barton, beverages; Miss Cornelius Holmes, candy; Mr. Frank H. Williams, ushers; Mrs. Worthng West, sale of revue music; Mrs. John E. Whittlesey, smokes; Mrs. George H. Crosby, program; Mrs. George A. Remick, floor; and Mrs. T. Ridgeway, properties.

NEWTON FEDERATION

The Executive Board of the Newton Federation will meet at 12 Austin street, Newtonville, the "Welfare Bureau", next Tuesday afternoon, January 25th, at 2:30 o'clock. Delegates

will be given an "American Home" program under the direction of the chairman of this department, Mrs. George M. Hayden. Mrs. Hayden will offer an attractive "forum discussion" for delegates on the question: "Influence of the Home on the Civic Life of the City." Besides this interesting feature, Mrs. Hayden presents most timely addresses on "Mothercraft".

One might expect that this chairman for our City would be in the forefront of following the suggestions of the State Mothercraft chairman, notice of whose desires appears most opportunely in the column this week, also, as Newton always leads! Mrs. Helen L. Wellington, member of the Belmont School Committee, and through whose efforts mothercraft was added to the curriculum of the Belmont Schools, will speak on "Mothercraft as a School Study", and Mrs. Louis W. Arnold, of Waban, will speak on "International Interest in Mothercraft", based on her own personal studies of this subject while abroad.

NEWTONVILLE WOMAN'S CLUB

Monday January 24th, at 3 P. M. in the Technical High School Hall, Mr. Irving O. Palmer will give a talk for parents. The talk is under the direction of the Education Committee of the Newton Federation of Women's Clubs.

Owing to the storm on January 11th, the first meeting of the Literature Class was postponed until Tuesday afternoon, January 25th, at three o'clock, when it will take place at the Central Congregational Church. Miss Mary Whitney, Assistant Director of the Boy's and Girl's Book Shop will speak on children's books.

AUBURNDALE REVIEW CLUB

Members of the Auburndale Review Club are urged to be present promptly

on January 25th, to vote upon important matters, including the selection of a topic for study for the next year. After the business meeting four talented actor-members will give enjoyment to the Auburndale Review Club at their Tuesday morning meeting, 10 A. M., January 25th. Mrs. George E. Martin, Mrs. Walter Van Patten Steiger, Mrs. J. F. Rider and Mrs. Robert H. Aborn have given so many examples of their historical prowess that all are looking forward to another example. The two one-act plays chosen for reading are most interesting. "Uncle Jiminy", by Zona Gale, has a wholesome charm of "neighborliness", in the willing and kindly preparations of many feminine friends to aid an elderly man on his journey for which he has ever longed—and then, the surprise, that he can not bear to part with these friends who have become endeared through the years, nor can he leave the quiet, "uninteresting" spot where he has spent his youth and all the years of his manhood. The story has a charm that reaches the heart. The other play, "Buying Culture", will be remembered, perhaps, by many Newton Club women, for its excellent portrayal last year by members of the Newtonville Woman's Club.

It is cleverly, satirically based upon the idea that anything can be bought, be it education, refinement, knowledge or "culture". In the process, the ambitious purchaser looks down upon the young sweetheart of his daughter as beneath them, and has to learn that true worth can neither be bought nor appreciated through money. Mrs. E. J. Frost, of 377 Central street, will be hostess for this most promising meeting.

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WOMEN'S AUXILIARY TO Y. M. C. A.

Mrs. Austin H. Decatur, president of the Newtonville Woman's Club, will give a Travel Talk to members and guests of the Women's Auxiliary on Wednesday afternoon, the 26th, at three o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. Hall, Newton. Mrs. Decatur spent a delightful year in the Orient and her experiences and travels should be of great interest because personally enjoyed. Members are privileged to bring guests, the suggestion being that each member bring one, who will then—of course—be inspired to join the ranks of this excellent Club. The social times of this organization that is so quiet, but so efficiently and continuously, carrying forward a helpful work are unusually pleasurable.

BOSTON WOMAN'S CIVICS CLUB

On the same afternoon, Newton members of the Boston Woman's Civics Club are reminded of their meeting at the Hotel Brunswick, at 2:30 o'clock. The afternoon is "Legislative Day", in charge of the chairman of this committee, Mrs. Charles Leslie May, formerly legislative chairman of the State Federation. She will present as the chief speaker Mrs. John Kimball, chairman of the State Federation Legislative department, who will discuss the measures that are of special interest to Club women at this time. The Current Events period will be in charge of Mrs. Mina del Castillo, formerly chairman of the Federation Music department and now chairman of the same committee in this Club. This will be the last meeting over which the president, Mrs. May Dickinson Kimball, will preside before going South for a stay of two months.

SOCIAL SCIENCE CLUB

At the next meeting of the Social Science Club on Wednesday, January 26th, Mr. K. Nei, a graduate student of Harvard, will speak on "Chinese Expansion". The hostesses at this meeting will be Miss Marion Stone and Miss Helen M. Cobb.

NEWTON COMMUNITY CLUB

The next meeting of the Newton Community Club, on January 27th, will be especially interesting and worth while. It is Presidents' day and the Club will have the honor and privilege of being "at home" to the President and Secretaries of our neighboring clubs. Representatives from the State and City Federations will be guests also. On this occasion it is a great pleasure to have as speaker Dr. William H. P. Faunce who has been President of Brown University since 1899. His subject is "The Revolt of Youth"—timely surely. There will be music by Mrs. Clara Sexton Crowley, one of the Club members, and refreshments will be served. The ladies of group 9 with Miss Caroline Braman as leader, will act as hostesses during the afternoon.

WEST NEWTON WOMEN'S EDUCATIONAL CLUB

"Shall it be Drudgery or Joy?" is the subject of a talk to be given by Mrs. Irving O. Palmer, at the meeting of the West Newton Women's Educational Club, on Friday, January 28th, at 2:30 in Players Small Hall. Mrs. Wilson C. Dort, soloist, will entertain. Tea will be served.

The annual meeting of the Travel Class takes place in the home of Mrs. John A. McCarthy, 157 Webster street, on Monday, January 24th, at 2:30 P. M. There will be an election of a leader and the discussion of a subject for next year's study, current events, and music.

STATE FEDERATION

Announcement from the State Federation Chairman of Mothercraft and Child Welfare is worthy of appreciative notice.

The department proposes a statewide campaign for a children's day, Saturday—in each home. A leaflet is in preparation which will give practical suggestions for making this day enjoyable to fathers and mothers as well as to children. The chairman is impressed with the great need of such companionship when the children are little.

At a recent meeting of the Boston Woman's Civic Club, Mrs. Archer W. Hayes gave alarming figures about the number of people making crime a profession in this country, 350,000. This is a problem which we as clubwomen must face.

Another leaflet in preparation concerns May Day. This leaflet is prepared at the request of many communities which wish early to make their plans for a joyful and inspiring observance of this play-day for children, emphasizing the joyousness of "Children Well and Happy."

The achievement of bringing children into the home is a step in the right direction. Home influence is, certainly among Club members, a vast improvement upon the Saturday morning "movies" for children, and should prove valuable as taking the place of any day as "movies day" for children, unless the attendance at such performances can be timed when pictures suited for them are displayed, and unless, also, children can be taught self-control in the enjoyment of such performances.

There are three outstanding reasons why this suggestion and effort on the part of the Mothercraft chairman, Mrs. May Dickinson Kimball, is most valuable—for the moral effect upon children who attend promiscuously all manner of pictures; for the effect upon character in loss of dignity and self-control in the permitting of children to run riot at the theatres as do some managers, who mistakenly believe that so they are sympathizing with, or tolerating, youth; and the educational advantage it will be to children to remain at home occasionally to come under home influence, and learn the viewpoint of their elders on many vital matters. Another—and unlisted—reason why children should be checked

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BIG BROTHERS IN NEWTON

At the Luncheon Conference, held under the auspices of the Welfare Division of the Newton Central Council, on Wednesday, January 12, one of the speakers referred to the gathering as "remarkable." Then he stopped and said "I mean it literally—it is a remarkable gathering."

A number of special guests interested in work with boys and girls, in addition to the regular members of the Conference, about sixty in all, assembled in the new West Newton Library building at the invitation of the West Newton Community Center, to discuss the question of developing a Big Brother and Big Sister movement in Newton.

Mrs. Irving J. Fisher, President of the Center, welcomed the guests, saying that they were the first to be served with a meal in the new Community Room of the Library, which has been furnished by the West Newton Community Center for its clubs and classes.

Here the pre-kindergarten school meet in the morning, and clubs of adults and children gather in the afternoons and evenings. The open fireplace is the key note of a room which is spacious, sunny, dignified, and yet informal.

Although this was the first occasion on which the gas range was used, the lunch was most successful from the culinary standpoint. Children of the Center helped serve, and the Mayor's lunch was passed to him by the smallest and sweetest colored mite imaginable, who hardly reached to the Mayor's knee.

After luncheon the business of the day began. Mrs. L. H. Marshall, Chairman of the Welfare Division, called upon Mrs. Irving O. Palmer, President of the Council, who spoke of the coming Council meeting on the Church and Social Service. Mrs. Marshall explained why this Luncheon Conference had been called, and spoke of her gratification at the interest expressed in the presence of so many guests. A roll call showed thirty-five different organizations to be represented, all but three of which were Newton organizations. The City and its Departments, Business Men's Associations, and Private Welfare Agencies were all included.

Mrs. Clark next introduced Mr. Clarence Richmond, of the Big Brother Association of Boston, which is connected with the Federated Jewish Charities. Mr. Richmond told of his experiences with two boys. One was not a problem in himself, but was handicapped by a family environment which seemed to make it almost impossible for him to turn into anything but a criminal. By aid of his Big Brother and hard work he obtained a technical education and now has every prospect of becoming a valuable citizen. The other boy had an unfortunate habit of stealing automobiles; and altho cured for a time by the help of his Big Brother, fell back into the old ways and was lost sight of. Mr. Richmond wished to bring out the fact that the Big Brother must be prepared to fail sometimes; altho when he succeeds, the good accomplished is enough to make up for many failures.

Mayor Childs opened the general discussion by telling some of his experiences with boys, and of how much a very little help at just the right time may mean. Alderman Heathcote, when called upon, gave instances of how he had been able to help Mrs. Wellman's proteges at critical moments, especially in the way of finding employment for her boys.

Other men present had much the same sort of story to tell. The sentiment being that in some way Newton ought to have a practical Big Brother and Big Sister program, without setting up another separate organization. How this could be done was briefly discussed. It was finally voted that Mrs. Marshall appoint a representative committee to consider the subject further, and if possible to present a practical program for Newton, along this line.

Newton Centre School Association

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—Mrs. Charles H. Peterson of 25 Hibbard Rd. is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. R. Barker of Lincoln, N. H. —Mr. William Fisher of Middletown, Conn., was the guest over the weekend of his sister, Mrs. Fred E. Harwood of Willard street.

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—The roll call supper Friday evening at the Methodist Church was well attended in spite of the inclemency of the weather. Members of the executive board of the Ladies Aid were hostesses. Rev. William S. Mitchell, of the Wesleyan Church, Worcester, was the speaker of the evening, his subject being "Your Church and Mine."

OFFICERS INSTALLED

J. Wiley Edmunds Camp 31, S. of U. V. of Civil War held their installation at Hunnewell Club, Newton, January 13th, at 8 P. M. Installing officer was Albert Wolfe, Division Counsellor of Massachusetts. Com. Jewett of Camp 89, Brighton, was Junior Guide. Invited guests were J. V. Com. Stoddard of Post 62, G. A. R., Com-elect of Post 48, A. L. Comrades Barry and Adams of Post 48, and Mrs. E. A. Cauldwell, President of S. of V. Auxiliary 81. The officers installed were:

Commander, E. E. Robinson, Senior Vice Commander, E. A. Cauldwell; Junior Vice Commander, A. J. Libbey; Chaplain, James Wentworth; Secretary Lawrence Putnam; Treasurer, H. B. Fowle; Pat. Instructor, G. B. Cauldwell; Camp Counsellor, E. A. Cauldwell, A. J. Libbey, J. H. Wentworth.

Junior Vice Commanders Stoddard and Ramm gave interesting talks on the wars in which they were engaged. Refreshments were served and a social hour followed.

GOLDEN WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Kent observed their fiftieth wedding anniversary last Tuesday evening with a reception at their home on Clinton place, Newton Centre, and about 150 of their many friends were present.

Mr. Kent was for fifty years one of the most valued men in the Street department, and retired on account of age a year ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Kent have three daughters, Mrs. J. T. Madden of Newton, Mrs. J. T. Maloney of Newton Centre and Miss Rose Kent, a school nurse, who resides at home. There is also one son, Mr. William J. Kent, Jr., of Arlington and 18 grand children.

FIREMAN RESCUES DOG

George Harrison of Hose 6, Lower Falls, will probably receive a letter of commendation from the M. S. P. C. A. for an act of charity he performed Wednesday. Harrison noticed a dog running up and down the bank of the river near the Wales street bridge, and barking excitedly. Upon investigating he discovered another dog, the property of Dr. Frederick Hopkins of Wellesley Farms, struggling in the river. The animal had walked onto thin ice and broken through. Harrison started to walk out towards the dog but the ice would not hold him. He then obtained a rope from a nearby barn and did a "Will Rogers" act, lassoing the drowning animal in his second throw of the lariat!

ANOTHER DISTILLERY RAIDED

One week after finding a small distillery in operation at Newton, a squad of police under Sergeant Maconey discovered a second "hooch" factory at 10 Smith Court, West Newton, alleged to have been conducted by James R. Dow. This raid followed a grievous error which the police claim was made by Mr. Dow when a sale of raw liquor to one of their number who was disguised as a thirsty civilian. This sale, according to the police, was made Thursday night. A few hours later the raid took place. The booty seized in the raid included three gallons of "whiskey" in a keg, one-half gallon aluminum cans in a jug, twenty empty one-gallon cans, twenty pint bottles, two copper boilers, a copper coil, and other apparatus used in perverting respectable grain into criminal liquor. His trial was postponed until next week.

MRS. LOTTIE HANDY

Mrs. Lottie Handy, wife of Albert D. Handy of 91 Parker street, Newton Centre, died on January 13 at her late residence, following a brief illness of bronchial pneumonia. Her funeral service was held Saturday morning at 11 A. M., and the remains were taken to South Duxbury for interment in the family lot. The services were conducted by Rev. Austin T. Kempton of Cambridge. Mrs. Handy is survived by her husband and one daughter, Mrs. Ina G. Nott.

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Newton North 0272Early Peoples Passed
Up Delicious Clams

Dr. Edward S. Morse of Salem, who spent 45 years sorting over the shell heaps that are found along the New England shore, found them composed largely of oysters and clams. But when he went to Europe to consult with Professor Steenstrup, the Danish expert on European shell heaps, he was amazed to learn that no clam shells were found among the oysters, says Edwin E. Slosson, director of science service, writing in Collier's Magazine.

Although clams abounded in the Baltic, the prehistoric people never ate them. It was the same in England; the clam had never been eaten, even in ancient times. We learned, the epicurean delights of the clam from the North American Indians, to whom we are indebted for tobacco.

Now we are accustomed to think of these early ancestors of ours as rather undiscriminating in their diet, having no prejudices against beast, bird, fish, mollusk or insect. Yet these poor benighted creatures had lived for 25,000 years with clams served up to them on the shell as a free lunch at every tide, and they wouldn't touch 'em.

Writer's Tribute to
Chivalry of Women

I am convinced that, in their relations to men, women are the chivalrous sex. In fact, I cannot understand how the reverse idea ever came to be accepted. It must have been a superpowerful Crusader who first enforced it with his mace.

How many times have I noticed how a woman, in the very climax of a quarrel, will not refrain from saying the one small, last thing of all that will cut nearest to the place where a man keeps his "wince." And I have heard men talk of "playing the game."

"Playing the game," "Letting down one's side," "It isn't done." The good old code, phrased in schoolboy jargon, that I have had to hear so very often, too often, from the lips of a husband who is, perhaps, nearer to the schoolboy than I always remember.—G. B. Stern, in Hearst's International-Cosmopolitan.

Cause and Effect

There are no special acts of Providence that have reference to you and to me, to this or to that event of our lives, any more than the North star was placed there for the guidance of mariners, or that anything in nature was made for the use of man. Was water made to quench thirst? No; we have thirst because there is water. Were the beauties and harmonies of nature made to delight our senses or for edification? No; we have the sense of the beautiful because beauty exists. The benevolent forces of nature brought us forth and sustain us, therefore we love beneficence. The loving kindness and the tender mercies of God, of which we hear so much, are such not because they are directed to us, but because they are directed to all—because the laws of the universe are so and not otherwise. John Burroughs.

FANS in History

"Customs of Mankind" says that "fans have an interesting history. The first fan was probably a palm leaf or some other natural device appropriated by man to keep away flies or gnats, perhaps even to cool the fevered brow in tropical climates. We know that in Egypt, 2,000 years ago, fashionable hosts had special servants to stand behind dinner guests and fan them with huge papyrus fans. . . . In France the fan reached the height of its development under Louis XIV. We read that 'Fans are invariably accompaniments of feminine costume, and that they are of rare beauty, exquisitely painted and mounted on sticks of carved or painted wood, mother-of-pearl, carved ivory or gold. There are over 500 makers of fans in Paris and they enjoy special privileges accorded to them by the king.'

Gave Name to Movement

The word "teetotal" as applied to the total abstinence from intoxicating liquor was first used by one Richard Turner, an artisan, at a temperance meeting held at Preston, England, in 1833. While contending for this principle he exclaimed: "I'll have now to do with this moderation brotherhood pledge—I'll be reet down tee-total for ever and ever." The word was quickly taken up and passed into general use. This is the epitaph which may be read on Turner's tomb-stone at Preston, near Manchester: "Beneath this stone are deposited the remains of Richard Turner, author of the word teetotal as applied to abstinence from all intoxicating liquors, who departed this life on the 27th day of October, 1846, aged 56 years."—Exchange.

"Cloture" Rule

Cloture did not exist in the British parliament until 1882, debate being unlimited. About 1872 Isaac Butt, leader of the Irish Home Rule party, began the policy, but it was not until 1882 that a "cloture rule" was passed, which allowed the speaker, on request of 40 members, to pronounce the debate closed and call for a vote. In 1902 the present rule was adopted providing that upon the proposal of a question a member might move that the question be put, and if the rules be not abused by such a motion and the rights of the minority be not infringed, then the question should be put at once and decided without further debate or amendment.

DEATHS

BOYHAM; on January 17 at 41 Pearl street, Newton, Mathew W. Boyham, age 57 yrs.

WIGGIN; on January 18 at 62 Bourne street, Auburndale, Mrs. Belle F. Bourne, age 69 yrs.

CHARLTON; on January 16 at 47 Lexington street, West Newton, Robert Charlton, age 52 yrs.

DENTON; on January 16 at 75 Allston street, Newton, Mrs. Lena Denton, age 35 yrs.

TAYLOR; on January 14 at 249 Commonwealth avenue, Chestnut Hill, Mrs. Mary Taylor, age 66 yrs.

MCKENZIE; on January 14 at 15 Beach street, Newton, Mrs. Margaret McKenzie, age 69 yrs.

JACOBS; on January 15 at 55 Thomas street, West Newton, George A. Jacobs, age 69 yrs.

HANDY; on January 13 at 91 Parker street, Newton Centre, Mrs. Lottie Handy, age 65 yrs.

DYER; on January 13 at 355 Hammond street, Chestnut Hill, Arthur H. Dyer, age 76 yrs.

TURNER; on January 17 at Waltham, Belle H., widow of Henry Turner, age 65 yrs.

BURNETT; on Jan. 15 at 58 Cedar street, Lower Falls, Robert Burnett, age 81 years.

TAYLOR; on Jan. 14 at 249 Commonwealth Ave., Chestnut Hill, Mrs. Mary Taylor.

MARRIAGES

DIDONATO-SANTILLI; on January 16, at Everett by Frank Pettengill, J. P., Frank DIDONATO of 405 Langley road, Newton Centre, and Louise Santilli of Everett.

RUIZ-MCDONOUGH; on January 16 at Upper Falls by Rev. Dennis Donovan; Santiago Ruiz and Agnes McDonough of 483 Dedham street, Newton Highlands.

DONOVAN-O'CONNELL; on January 16 at Chestnut Hill by Rev. Daniel Cronin; Patrick J. Donovan of Brookline and Mary L. O'Connell of 481 Hammond street, Chestnut Hill.

BIRTHS

BROWN; on January 16 to Mr. and Mrs. Keith Brown of 544 Ward street, a son.

MORGAN; on January 12 to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Morgan of 18 Hovey street, a daughter.

GASSETT; on January 13 to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gassett of 43 Linden street, a son.

MCKENZIE; on January 13 to Mr. and Mrs. Shannon McKenzie of 303 Worcester street, a son.

FAIRWEATHER; on January 15 to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin C. Fairweather of 1009 Boylston street, a son.

FORBUSH; on January 17 to Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Forbush of 195 Church street, a daughter.

STONE; on January 10 to Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Stone of 25 Elmwood street, a son.

BOWDOIN SQUARE THEATRE

Beginning Monday, Jan. 24, and continuing for the entire week, the top picture feature will be Elinor Glyn's "Love's Blindness." The cast is particularly strong with the leading roles taken by Pauline Starke and Antonio Moreno.

Another feature of picture worth will present the William Fox production, "Thirty Below Zero," with Buck Jones in the saddle and the supporting cast includes such stars as Eva Novak and Paul Panzer. Also five acts featuring John Conroy's physical Comedy Girls. Bargain vaudeville is presented every Friday night. The Sunday concert begins at 3.

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CITY OF NEWTON
CITY CLERK'S OFFICE

January 20, 1927. Notice is hereby given that the Board of Aldermen will hold public hearings at City Hall, West Newton, Mass., on Monday, February 7, 1927, at 7:45 o'clock P. M., upon the following petitions:

No. 57477 Henry C. Bourne, for permit to keep, store, and sell gasoline at 2263 Washington Street, Ward 4, in connection with gasoline selling station, under the General Laws and Revised Ordinances of the City. Maximum quantity of gasoline at one time, 4,000 gallons.

No. 57500 Estate of P. A. Murray, by Joseph Murray, for permit to erect and maintain Sales and Service Building, 210-220 Washington street, Ward 7. One story and basement. Maximum number of motor vehicles at one time, 50. Tank and pump of 500 gallons capacity to be located inside of building.

No. 57501 A. T. Stuart Co., by Albert T. Stuart, for permit to keep, store, and sell gasoline northwest corner Chesley road, Beacon street, Ward 6, in connection with outside gasoline selling station, under General Laws and Revised Ordinances of the City. Maximum quantity of gasoline at one time, 4,000 gallons.

FRANK M. GRANT, City Clerk, Advertisement.

CITY OF NEWTON
CITY CLERK'S OFFICE

January 20, 1927. Notice is hereby given that the Franchises and Licenses Committee of the Board of Aldermen will hold public hearings at City Hall, West Newton, Mass., on Wednesday, February 2, 1927, at 7:45 o'clock P. M., upon the following petitions:

No. 57516 Various Private Garages for not more than two cars.—Alexander Marvin, 201 Jackson road, Ward 1, 2-car.

F. L. Pearson, 17 Morton street, Ward 2, 1-car.

Alice L. Roberts, 66 Walker street, Ward 2, 1-car.



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DENOUNCES BOLSHEVISM

Professor Tulpia Speaks on Russia Before Fraternity Lodge of Masons

Following the meeting of Fraternity Lodge of Masons at Newtonville last Friday night, Prof. Leonid V. Tulpia addressed the members on "Russia, Past, Present and Future." Professor Tulpia was introduced by Dr. Michael Chirurg, who is a fellow alumnus of Moscow University. Professor Tulpia explained that he is at present Secretary for the Distribution of Useful Knowledge to Russian Immigrants in the United States. His work is to acquaint these immigrants with the real aspirations of this country and to dispel the idea that Americans are merely seekers after money. He told of his occupation before the World War, when he travelled throughout Siberia lecturing on educational subjects, and obtaining information regarding the needs and desires of the peoples inhabiting that section of the then Russian Empire. He referred to the many Americans who have spent a few months, or less, in Russia, during late years, and then return thinking they are well informed regarding conditions in that country. His contention is—"that only a Russian can understand Russia, and is qualified to intelligently discuss conditions there."

Professor Tulpia informed his audience of the vastness of Russia, its diversified topography, plant life and climates, and the accomplishments of the Russian people. He mentioned the origin of the Russian nation, its struggles against the Mongols in the earlier centuries, and with the Swedes, Poles, French and other European nations in later centuries. He told how, after the Mongol conquest in the 8th century, the Russian people were confined within a 50 mile radius of Moscow, and how gradually they spread over eastern Europe and Asia, until the race dominated one-sixth of this planet. According to him the typical Russian is blonde and blue-eyed, and can be distinguished anywhere. He stated that Russia has been pre-eminent in producing leaders in art, music and science, despite the fact that 73 per cent of its population, even in recent years, was illiterate. The collapse of the Russian army in the World War, according to Professor Tulpia, was occasioned by poor equipment and the inefficiency of the old regime. The revolutionists under

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STORIES CONTRADICT

Police Officers Testify On Both Sides of a Liquor Case

The courtroom at West Newton was filled with spectators Wednesday morning to listen to the trial of Joseph F. Ryan of River street, Waltham. Ryan was arrested just after midnight on January 19 by Sergeant Vedula and Patrolman Gaquin charged with drunkenness, driving while under the influence of liquor, and with illegal transportation of liquor. It is not a rare occurrence for a person to be in court charged with this combination of offences, but the "drawing-card" in this case was the fact that Patrolman John E. Green of the Newton police was to be the star witness for Ryan. Green was with Ryan when the latter was arrested.

The first witness called by Chief Burke for the prosecution was Patrolman Gaquin. He testified that he had been shadowing the house at 181 River street, West Newton, occupied by Frank Castagnino, on the night of January 18. He peered through a window at various times during the night and claimed to have seen Ryan sitting at the kitchen table and drinking a dark colored fluid which resembled wine. About 12:45 on the morning of January 19, an automobile operated by Ryan backed out of the Castagnino yard at a rapid rate, and then was driven in zig-zag manner along the street. Whereupon Gaquin stopped the car and ordered Ryan out. The latter, according to Gaquin, staggered, and his breath smelled strongly of liquor. The policeman took him to a nearby police signal box and called the patrol-wagon. Gaquin testified that he was watching the Castagnino house because he had received information that liquor was being sold there.

Attorney George H. Mellen, defending Ryan, attempted to show that Gaquin had some special object in asking that Policeman King be sent with the patrol-wagon when he sent in the call from the box at the time of Ryan's arrest. King was not doing wagon-duty that night. Gaquin answered that he had asked for King so that the latter could drive Ryan's automobile to headquarters." Patrolman Hayden, who was on wagon duty that night, does not operate an automobile. Mellen also questioned Gaquin regarding a spotter who had been sent into the Castagnino house on the night of January 18 to buy

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DEATH OF REV. DR. HORR

Former President of Newton Theological Institution Passes Away

Rev. Dr. George Edwin Horr, former president of the Newton Theological Institution, died last Saturday morning at his home on Institution avenue, Newton Centre, following a long illness.

Dr. Horr was a native of Boston, where he was born January 19, 1856.

He was graduated from Brown University in 1876, studied one year at Union Theological Seminary, New York, and was graduated from Newton Theological Institution in 1879.

He held pastorates in Tarrytown, N. Y., where he was located from 1879 to 1884; and at the First Church in Charlestown, where he remained until 1891 when, with Rev. E. F. Merriam, D. D., he purchased the controlling interest in The Watchman of Boston and became editor of that Boston publication. In 1904 Dr. Horr was chosen professor of church history in the Newton Institution, and in 1908 was elected president.

He received the degree of doctor of divinity from Brown in 1896 and doctor of laws from Colby College. During his long life he published a number of volumes and several of his publications have been used as text books in educational institutions. He was for years a regular contributor to the Blakeslee series of Bible school lessons.

As editor of The Watchman Dr. Horr gave that publication a leading place among the religious journals of this country and as president of the Newton Institution he established it as a foremost school for the training of religious leaders, many of whom subsequently became widely known and honored both in this country and Europe.

Dr. Horr had been a Fellow of Brown University, a trustee of Wellesley College, and of Worcester Academy, and vice president of the Boston Baptist City Mission. He was a member of the University Club and the Twentieth Century Club and the Boston City Club.

The immediate surviving members of his family are his widow, who was Evelyn Olmstead Sacchi of Tarrytown, N. Y.; two brothers, William Horr, a merchant of New York city, who lives in Newark, N. J.; and Edgar Horr of Needham; and a sister, who resides in Mystic, Conn.

The funeral services held on Tuesday afternoon in the Baptist Church of Newton Centre were attended by

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NEW PASTOR

Rev. Dr. Boynton Merrill Accepts Call to Second Church

In response to the action of the Second Church of West Newton calling Rev. Dr. Boynton Merrill to become its pastor, Dr. Merrill has written a letter of acceptance of which the following is a part:

For years I have known this Church from afar, across recent months I have been privileged to come into a more intimate knowledge of it, and from far or near at hand there have come to me only tidings of "things of good report." The beauty of the house you have built, the rare grace and great gifts of those who have minis-

tered to you, the high-mindedness and spiritual eagerness of those who make up the fellowship, the wealth of young life growing to maturity, these all are known to all who know of this church. It is to this heritage that your letter calls me. I am fully aware of how rich the treasure is that you would commit to my keeping. I should not dare to receive it were not the bond sealed with the pledge of your loyalty. Against that pledge I want to put my all; my loyalty to one and one loyalty to all. This, together with the conviction that One wiser and more far-seeing

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UNIQUE CONFERENCE

Relations of Church to Social Work Discussed by the Newton Central Council at the High School

The auditorium of the Newton High School was filled on Tuesday evening, January 25, by two hundred very responsive and eager people, gathered to hear a discussion of the relations of the church to social problems, and of social work to the work of the church.

The Vice-President of the Newton Welfare Bureau, Mr. Philip W. Carter, said that 15 cases had been referred to his organization by churches, and that of these 7 were still in process of being solved. Miss Olive Elliot, Superintendent of the Newton District Nursing Association, told of a case in which their organization, in addition to giving bedside care to a woman of education, had been able to thru the church to help relieve her anxieties. Miss Wheeler, the Social Worker of the Newton Hospital, told how that department helped to cure illness by solving personal and family as well as health problems.

The next topic discussed was the Use of Leisure Time by Boys and Girls. An analysis of the situation was ably presented by Rev. Newton A. Merritt of the Immanuel Baptist Church in Newton. He said there were three kinds of young people who needed help in the use of their leisure: those who want something to do, those who do not want anything to do, and those who need something to do. With the first the task is only to give occupation, with the second to arouse interest in something worth while, with the third to provide interest in otherwise monotonous lives. The movies were mentioned as an amusement of idle moments. "It gives you a thrill without working for it" was the comment of one boy. Since the movies do reach so many young people, Mr. Merritt thought they should be thoroughly supervised.

Mr. George P. Brophy, President of the Newton Catholic Club, told of the splendid work being done by that club in providing wholesome recreation for boys who might otherwise look for it on the street. Cards, pool, radio, bowling, and many inter-club activities are the attractions. The older business men of standing go there to take an interest in the boys, and try to be Big Brothers to them. Mrs. James Warren, Volunteer Field Captain of the

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Newton has long been famous for many outstanding athletes and it seems certain that the record will be kept up if not surpassed. Not alone are these stars developed in the public schools but frequently the private schools add their bit to the long list of athletic stars. Up in Easthampton at Williston Seminary there is a Newton boy who is making a name for himself as well as bringing credit to his school. He is George C. Colburn, Jr. of Newton, the son of G. Clement Colburn. Not only is he ranked as one of the four best athletes in the academy, but he is the biggest student in the school, standing 6 ft. 2 in. and weighing 183 pounds.

For the past three years he has been taking an active part in varsity sports. His first year he was a member of the hockey team and was picked as one of the best defense men in the Connecticut Valley. Last year he played his usual position on the hockey team which went through the season undefeated. He is again one of the dependable members of the sextet this winter.

In the fall of 1925, his second year at Williston, he was an end on the best football eleven that the Western Massachusetts school ever had, while during the past football season he scored four touchdowns in six games while playing the end position.

Last spring he held down first base on the nine and will probably resume that position during the coming season. The major "W" which will be forthcoming at the end of the baseball season will make his seventh during his three years at Williston, a mark which has been exceeded by but one student at the school. Colburn will graduate from Williston in June and will continue his studies at some Eastern college where he will undoubtedly be heard from on the athletic field.

Y. M. C. A.

The speaker at the Fellowship Club on Monday evening, January 21st, will be Dr. Howard S. Gault, the former President of Peking University, China. Dr. Gault was among those besieged in the British Legation at Peking during the uprising in August, 1900. He was the head of the Department of Education of Peking University until 1923 when he became President, which office he held until he returned to this country. His subject will be, "The New Internationalism in China." Any young man who is interested is invited to come to this meeting of the Fellowship Club. Supper is served at 6:30.

The speaker last week was Mr. Charles A. Gates, Executive Secretary of the Advisory Council on Crime Prevention. Many stayed to question Mr. Gates after his very interesting talk.

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THE WEEK IN NEWTON SPORTS

Edited by WARREN K. BRIMBLECOM

STILL UNDEFEATED

Newton high school hockey team lengthened its string of victories by three games this week. Two of these were league affairs and put the orange and black so far in the lead that it is radically certain that Captain Stubbs' six will finish on the top in the preliminary round of the league schedule. Newton's two league victims this week were Belmont on Monday and Arlington yesterday. Monday's affair was a 4 to 0 shut out with Captain Stubbs, Proctor, Dick Powers, and Frank Spain each counting once. Stubbs counted first shortly after the start of the game out of a scrimmage in front of the Belmont net. Proctor scored in the same period with a pretty shot from a difficult angle. In the third period Powers duplicated Stubbs' feat while Spain followed this with a shot from mid-ice which found the cage.

Yesterday Newton and Arlington staged a thrilling game with Newton finally coming out on top, 4 to 2. For two periods the Arlington six held the Garden City team on even terms by brilliant individual sorties down the ice by Hilliard, Arlington captain, resulting in two goals. Spain put Newton in the lead in the first minute of play which Hilliard matched a few minutes later. In the second stanza Stubbs put Newton to the fore again with a wicked drive into the net. Hilliard again tied it up before the period ended. With but a few minutes to play in the closing period Spain shot the winning point. Arlington, in a desperate attack, sent five men up the ice but during a scrimmage in front of the orange and black goal, Proctor emerged from the tangle with the puck and easily beat the entire field down the ice where he had little difficulty in driving the puck past Chamberlain in the net.

On Wednesday Newton shut out the Brighton sextet 7 to 0. The visitors held the orange and black to three counters in the first two sessions but in the third period Newton counted four times. Although the opposing goalie allowed seven to slip past him the score would have been much greater but for his stellar work. He handled all kinds of difficult shots with great skill. Spain tallied three times, Stubbs twice and Andres and Brown one third.

Kollmyer had little difficulty in leading the way in the 600-yard run but Cummings will give him more than one battle before the season is over. This lad showed considerable of the form he displayed two years ago and seems to have recovered entirely from the injury which kept him out of the game last winter. Lyng of B. C. High took third although Reynolds, a recent addition to the squad, had been in shape, could have taken the point. A few days of practice was not sufficient for Reynolds to keep up the pace and he was forced to drop out although well ahead of the visiting entrant.

Macey pulled through in first place in the shotput although Swan of B. C. High was considered the favorite. Swan had been doing over 40 feet but fell down and had to be content with second. Gatchell took third.

By mutual agreement the relay was not run.

MEET BROOKLINE TOMORROW

Newton high track team will run Brookline high tomorrow in the first of two dual meets with the Wealthy Town Team. Tomorrow's meet will be held at Brookline while on the following Saturday the same teams will stage a second meet on Newton's track.

The total score of the two meets will decide the winner. Little can be said as to the probable outcome of tomorrow's affair as the home team always had a decided advantage in any dual meet. The fact is most readily proved by Malden's defeat of Medford last week.

On the Medford track or even on a neutral track there is no question but what Medford could win handily. This is largely the reason for the staging of home and away meets with Brookline as has been done in the past few years.

On paper Newton should come pretty near cleaning up in the field events although Brookline has a strong contender in Fitts in the shot put. The high jump should go to Newton with Keen competition for third place. The same should be so of the broad jump. Nothing can be predicted regarding the track events. Newton athletes have made somewhat better times in the various events but track conditions will tell the story. All in all tomorrow's affair is anybody's meet and Newton should win over Brookline at the 5th of next month.

NEWTON MERMEN WIN

The Newton high school swimming team won its second consecutive victory of the 1927 season Wednesday afternoon in the Newton "Y" pool. This time it was Rindge Technical school that was submerged. The score was 54 to 8. Newton piled up its total by taking the relay, first in all six events and second in all but the 40-yard free style and a third in that event.

The relay was easily Newton's. The lead-off men swam on even terms but Soule opened up a ten-yard lead which Durrell added five yards to lead which Osborne to take things easy. Osborne was the star of the meet with two firsts, in the 100-yard and 200-yard events. Essene won the breaststroke event as usual and placed second to the finish. Hogan had enough to give him a yard advantage.

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Rowland Patrick, a junior at Amherst, is holding down a wing position for the Lord Jeff sextet. Last Saturday the Sabrinas were defeated by Springfield, 3 to 1, in their first game of the season. They showed lack of practice and team play which was largely responsible for the defeat. On Tuesday they defeated the Mass. Aggie outfit 1 to 0 in a fiercely fought game. At one time in the final period four of the Amherst players were in the penalty box while their two teammates held the Farmers at bay.

Princeton had little difficulty in overwhelming Capt. Phil Hoyt's Cornell hockey team by an 8 to 1 score last Saturday. The Ithacians took the lead at the six minute mark but held it for only a half minute when the Tigers knotted the count and never allowed the visitors another chance.

The Allen-Chalmers school basketball team nosed out the Mass. Nautical school five 21 to 0 last Friday night at the Allen gym in West Newton. Melrose at center was the star of the local outfit with five goals from the floor and two on free tries for a total of 12 points. Lash, a guard, tallied twice from the floor and Meyer, forward, once. Doyle and Billings caged three free throws between them for Allen's total of 21. Allen, center, was the outstanding player for the visitors.

Fred Onthank, veteran relay man, has again won a berth on the Boston University relay quartet. The Chestnut Hill boy will lead off for the Terrier four as he did last year in the various races.

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Yale and Dartmouth battled for 90 minutes in the new arena at New Haven last Saturday night in order to obtain a victory. At the end of that time with the score 1 to 1 play was called with the tie unbroken. Vaughan, Eli center ice, passed to a teammate in the second period and the latter evened up the count. Rogers, Dartmouth wing, played excellent hockey but could not penetrate the Blue defense.

Newton Centre continues to set a fast pace in the Massachusetts Squash Racquet tourney in the Class B matches last Saturday the local team turned back the Harvard Club 4 to 1 adding to their advantage by placing them seven games in the lead. Incidentally the one point lost last week is the first in the 25 individual matches played to date. In Class C the Newton Centre team is in third place and only three points away from the runner-up berth now occupied by the B. A. A. Last Saturday the Newton Centre five made a clean sweep of the matches with the Newton Club outfit.

At the K. of C. games last Saturday night Bill Henrich of Harvard was entered in the 45-yard handicap hurdle race, which was won by Wells of Dartmouth in a new world's record time of 5 4-5 seconds. Henrich, with a 5-foot handicap won the third heat and placed second to Wells in a semi-final. In the semi-final heat for second men with but one picked to run in the final the Newton youth was nosed out by the B. A. A. Last Saturday the Newton Centre five made a clean sweep of the matches with the Newton Club outfit.

The Newton Y basketball team lost a close game to the Worcester Y team in a Two-State league game last Saturday night at the Newton Y. The score was Worcester 23, Newton 25. Ray Wellman of Newton was the high scorer of the game with five baskets from the floor and one on a free try.

The Newton Y seconds defeated the Newton Centre A. C. between the halves of the main game 39 to 16. Daniels caged nine baskets for 18 points while Jorday tallied 13 points.

The local five hopes to annex its first league victory tomorrow night at the expense of the Cambridge quintet which comes to the local court. Two games will be staged. On the following Saturday night Newton will entertain the Quincy first and second teams. Henry Vuilleumier, veteran guard of the past few years, is returning to the game. When he gets into condition he will strengthen the local defense to a marked degree.

Upsets were in order at last Friday night's games in the Church League basketball games. The Watertown Methodist five bumped the Newtonton Methodist team 19 to 16 and went into first place, dissolving a quadruple tie. The Numees tumbled to third place while the Eliot and Needham teams remain knotted for the second position. The Watertown Baptists defeated the Central Congregationalists 21 to 18 in another close game and moved out of the cellar tie. Tonight the first round will be entirely completed with the game between the Eliot and Needham teams. The winner is assured of a first place tie with Watertown Methodist while the loser will drop to third place. The Numees will start the second round with the Central Congregationalists and should find no difficulty in getting back into second place. The league standing, to date:

Won	Lost	Tied	Pts.
Watertown Methodist	4	1	800
Elliot Congregational	3	1	750
Needham Congregational	3	1	750
Newtonton Methodist	3	2	600
Watertown Baptist	1	4	200
Central Congregational	0	5	000

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Many favorable comments are still being heard upon the improved track conditions at the high school. It has been an unheard of thing to stage a dual meet without there being at least one spill in the 300-yard or 600-yard runs. At the B. C. High meet there was not a single man tossed in any of the track events with the exception of Fullerton's fall when he hit a hurdle. This in itself is most remarkable and worthy of notice. In the three races on the track there was keen competition for the first bank and these always resulted in spills while the old banks were used. But with the new banks things are much better and safer. It is a worthwhile improvement.

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ONE THING AND ANOTHER

Written by LEVERETT D. G. BENTLEY

"So this is Newton Corner?" observed our visitor.

"Otherwise known as Nonantum Square," I replied.

This guest from New York had been visiting with me and we were taking an after-dinner walk down-town.

"Nonantum, did you say?" he queried, "what does that mean?"

I explained it was the old Indian name, etc.

He viewed the vehicular traffic from Watertown and saw it make a circuit of the bank building.

"Indian," he repeated, "is that why the automobiles do a war dance in the square?"

Somebody, I shall not reveal his name, asked me to repeat the best joke I had heard during 1926. Strangely enough I didn't have to think it over, but made prompt reply. It was Dick Little's wisecrack in his column in the Chicago Tribune which he calls "A Line O' Type or Two."

Mr. Little wrote, "Anyway, Illinois has the best politicians that money can buy."

Frequently it has been my privilege, when attending an entertainment for some especially worthy cause, to find that a supplementary effort to increase the proceeds was being made through the sale of candy. The system is practically the same wherever one goes. Dauntly gowned young women pass up and down the aisles carrying trays or baskets loaded with boxes of fudge, penouche, etc. These confectons are offered you at a reasonable price and being home-made are invariably very good.

Before going any further I wish to record my approval for I like good candy, although I realize that I should not indulge myself to excess. It is much easier to convince than to deny oneself, so sometimes I slip. There are others with a similar weakness and that is comforting.

One evening not long ago I found that everybody was buying candy and I sought to ascertain just why those possessed of more abundant weight were eating so ravenously when plainly they were just the ones who should "cut it out," as the doctors would put it. But I learned nothing further from my observation, except that human nature is still as complex as it ever was and that when there's candy around the most strong-minded individual is quite apt to succumb to temptation.

Now just a word as to the selling. I don't know anything about salesmanship. I wish I did. As far as that goes I know that I am rated as "easy" and will buy a pig in a poke, as the old saying goes, quite as soon as the next one. My experience has been something like this:

A very pretty girl stops at the end seat of the aisles, smiles and asks, most bewitchingly, "Wouldn't you like some candy?" Her manner is irresistible. If you are a bachelor and fortunate enough to have a fair companion you turn to the latter and say, "Won't you select something?" The choice being made you plunge your hand in your pocket and say to the amateur sales-person: "How much?"

Not always, but frequently, the young woman says, "Let me see. Doesn't it say on the box?" You and she both examine the box but find no price-mark. Then the lady with the candy explains, "Just a moment while I ask Mrs. Soando, she's the head of the candy committee."

She soon returns and tells you it's "only sixty cents." You produce a dollar bill. The engaging creature with whom you are dealing, cries out, "Haven't you any change?" Another plunge into your pockets. With the assistance of your companion you try to make sixty cents in change. But you fail. Then the sales-person says, "Well, let me take your money and I'll bring you the change."

Of course when one is busy one cannot always remember so it is not to be wondered at when you see the young lady with candy to sell, trying to force forty cents in change on a man across the aisle, who protests he received full value for his money when his transaction was completed. Then it is up to you to reach over and explain, "Pardon me, I think that's my change."

Blushing and visibly embarrassed the young woman says, "Oh, yes, I couldn't remember just who it was. Are you sure it was a dollar bill you gave me?"

And now I ask, what is a mere man to do under such circumstances?

Let us see, this is the year 1927. That means that 1905 was twenty-two years ago. Yes, things were different then. We'll say so and avoid argument. Just what things we will not mention, except the prices in eating places. One day this week one of our friends who likes to collect and save odd things and things that are not odd, produced an ancient blotter. To the credit of its manufacturer it is in excellent condition.

This blotter contained on one side the prices of a popular men's cafe on Cornhill, Boston. We do not remember the institution, for such it must have been, but are informed that it was a good place to obtain first class food. It seems they were not only generous in their portions, but provided it at low prices. Just compare what they asked in 1905 with what is paid today. You will have to make the comparison in your head for all I can offer you is this 22-year old menu. It contains among other dishes the following:

Soup—puree of mongole, 10 cents; clam chowder, 10 cents; clam bouillon, 10 cents.

Fish—baked cod in cream au gratin, 10 cents; boiled fresh bluefish maitre d'hotel, 20 cents; steamed Ipswich clams with melted butter, 20 cents. New England boiled dinner, 20 cents.

Roasts—rib of beef, dish gravy, 25 cents; lamb, mint sauce, 20 cents.

promised, etc., and there the matter seemed about to have ended.

A few minutes later the authorized employee of one of the best public utility companies appeared to take the reading of the meter. He was a stranger, but his errand nevertheless was a legitimate one.

The woman of the house answered his ring. Said she, "I don't know whether to let you in or not." She was joking for she knew the man was not an imposter.

"For goodness sake don't tell me I'm a burglar," he replied. "Six times today I've had that story sprung on me about the man who said he was an inspector and got in and killed the woman."

Yes, everybody has some kind of trouble in this world when trying merely to perform the ordinary duties of a peaceful job.

If ever the School Committee should contemplate establishing a school of oratory it can be done without one cent of additional expense. Let the pupils attend the Newton Board of Aldermen meetings.

Occupants of a house in Ward 7 waked up the other morning only to discover an attempt had been made during the night to enter their dwelling. Distinct footmarks in the snow showed that the would-be intruder had gone from door to door and window to window trying to effect an entrance. The police were summoned and found where a stick had been used in an effort to pry up the window sashes. An investigation was

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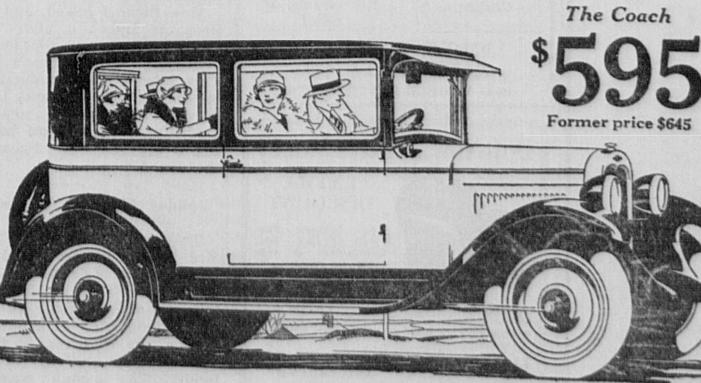
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The Newton Centre Woman's Club, Inc., is a literary, benevolent and charitable institution and the club does not exist primarily for the pleasure and gratification of its members, according to a decision of the Supreme Judicial Court of Massachusetts, just handed down, which exempts the club's real and personal property from taxation by the city of Newton.

Women's clubs throughout the State have watched with great interest the progress of this case. The Newton Centre Woman's Club, Inc., built a large clubhouse at the corner of Centre and Beacon streets, Newton Centre. The city of Newton levied a tax for the year commencing April 1, 1923 on the real and personal property, amounting to \$152,60. The club claimed that it was a literary, benevolent and charitable institution, and so exempt from taxation, and asked that the tax be abated.

The case went before the courts with Frank Stewart appearing for

the club and City Solicitor Joseph W. Bartlett for the city of Newton. Judge Donahue of the Superior Court referred the case to a Commissioner and the outstanding feature of the hearing before the Commissioner, was the testimony of Mayor Edwin O. Childs of Newton, who testified for the club, while his appointee, Mr. Bartlett, was endeavoring to show that the club existed primarily for the gratification of the members.

Judge Donahue found for the plaintiff club and the defendant city took the matter to the Supreme Court on exceptions. The full bench of the Supreme Court now overrules these exceptions.

The opinion of the full court, written by Justice Crosby, says in part: "The record shows that the work carried on by the complainant is essentially different from that of a club or other organization created for the mutual improvement of its members, or for purely social purposes, and that such benefits are merely subsidiary and incidental to its main purposes, which are charitable."

NEWS
FROM THE COLLEGES

By Harold P. Carver, N. H. S. '26

Once again we must go on an excursion, visiting this time some widely scattered colleges for women. Before leaving on our trip we will stop for a moment to tell of the success of one of the Newton girls who is attending Pembroke College, the woman's institution of Brown University. Victoria Williams graduated from Newton last year and entered this year as a freshman in the school at Providence. She was one of the leading singers of the school while she was there, taking part in the Glee Club organizations for over three years. Under Mr. Griffin's tutelage she blossomed out as a strong, capable soloist, which, added to her executive ability, led the group to select her as their leader for the year. In her final terms she also became a member of the Mathematics Club. Her work at Pembroke has been progressing with signs of ability in some of her courses, but her chief interest has been along the same lines that she cultivated while in Newton, that of a real love for religious work. She has taken charge of the work of the Young People's organization in the Central Congregational Church to the extent of being one of its leading workers despite her recent membership. Her past experience should stand her in good stead for she has served for a long time on the Norumbega Council and consequently has had a great deal of knowledge and a variety of incidents to call upon for aid.

From Providence we leave for New York State where we stop off at Welles College, a small, but well liked school of learning. Here Barbara Jack of West Newton carries the ideals of Newton into her college life. Graduating from Newton in the class of 1925 she returned in order to take a post-graduate course. The class of 1920 claimed her as a member this year at Welles. The various clubs held an attraction for her, since we find her enrolled in the Mathematics Club for two terms, and in the same way she was in the French Club for a like number of years. She was one of the first members of the school to join the orchestra, playing on it for two seasons. This organization under Mr. Harrington's direction has performed remarkably well considering that its personnel changes every

year. Its chief place in the school program is that of providing an outlet for people with musical ability or talent, but it has come to be a necessary part of the school life, for it is one of the attractions of the different dramatic pieces that are put on, and it also plays a large part in the annual open-air spring concert that it gives in conjunction with the Glee Club. More and more of the younger generation are progressing along the lines of music and its kindred subjects because of the opportunities for using one's knowledge. Out of the orchestra grew the band idea, which was finally put into effect this year when the new organization played at the first big home game. Newton has long felt the need of a good band, and the action of the class of 1925, and friendly organizations, made the wish an actuality. There were few, if any, bands that could top the brand of music played by the Orange and Black's representatives, and more than one friendly comment was heard in the course of the season.

At Winwood, a finishing school in the vicinity of New York, there is another Newtonian who graduated in the class of 1925. Elizabeth Savage of Newton Centre is one of the most promising of all the workers in the school along the lines of designing and painting. She came to Newton with the avowed intention of making perfect her talent along these aforementioned lines and succeeded remarkably well. She also took up the literary end of the school life with the result that she was elected as one of the higher officials in the Newtonian, and also became an editor on the Newtonian. In her final year she was one of the busiest of all the graduating class, for she was in more activities than anyone else. She belonged to the English Club, and also its allied group the Drama Club. She was in the Glee Club two years, and in the last terms played the cello for the orchestra. In the Cercle Francais she was one of the outstanding members of the body by reason of her thorough grasp of the language. While in this organization she was also in the cast of the first play reproduced in French at Newton. In the elections of the class Elizabeth was chosen as the representative of her division in the school to the Executive Council, one of the highest governmental offices in the student system. She is still studying for her career in the realm of art, and is now spending her second season at Winwood.

Now for a hurried jaunt out to the West to Marietta College where Elizabeth Cobleigh of the class of 1928 is passing her years of further scholastic endeavor. Elizabeth is another girl whose interest runs toward the lines of religious achievements, and pursuing her course that way she has attained prominence along the activities of the Young Women's Christian Association. While a student at Newton she was in the Mathematics Club, and also the English Club. As many of the other girls did she doubled up and joined the Glee Club and the Chorus at the same time. Although she was not of the dominant personality type that we read so much about at this time, she did have while at Newton a splendid record in her studies, and many friends by reason of the firm friendship that she offered to them.

POLICE ACTIVE

Continue To Arrest Hooch Vendors

Competition is the life of trade; but it means death to bootlegging in Newton. A few weeks ago Serg. Moran and a squad raided a house at Newton where hooch had been made and dispensed. A few days later Serg. Mahoney and a detail of police performed a like service at West Newton. Within a week following Serg. Moran had headed another raid which netted a woman bootlegger at Nonantum, and Serg. Veduccio commanded a squad of police which seized 150 gallons of wine at a house in West Newton. All this activity was on the North Side of the city. But the South Side cops were not content to see all the glory going to their North Side brethren, so on Saturday night last, Serg. Meehan and a squad raided the store of Fabio Malagria at 382 Langley Road, Newton Centre, and seized 207 gallons of wine contained in six barrels: also twenty-five empty bottles. Malagria conducts a tailor shop, but apparently was more concerned with wet goods than dry goods. He was arrested Sunday night, charged with making an illegal sale of liquor. In court Monday Judge Bacon fined him \$100 and gave him a suspended sentence of three months to the House of Correction. The standing in the Liquor Law Enforcement League in the present contest is—

Raids Booze Seized
Serg. Moran 2 11½ gal. whiskey
1 ½ gal. alcohol
1 ½ gal. beer
Serg. Mahoney 1 3 gal. whiskey
1 ½ gal. alcohol
Serg. Veduccio 1 150 gal. wine
Serg. Meehan 1 207 gal. wine

So far Serg. Moran is leading the league in the number of raids and the variety of booze captured. Sergeants Meehan and Veduccio made the biggest hauls, so far as quantity is considered, although the 123½ gallons of real hard stuff seized by Serg. Moran would have equalled in alcoholic strength at least four times that quantity of wine. So far Sergeants Seaver, Bannon, Moan and Leehan have not participated in the present contest. Serg. Seaver, who is on day duty, has not the same opportunities to score on the bootleggers as have the other sergeants who perform night duty. Sergeant Leehan, who was high-scorer in past Liquor Law Enforcement League campaigns, has not scored as yet in the present contest.

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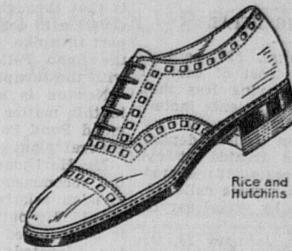
At the recent annual meeting of the Newton Medical Society, Dr. Hartley W. Thayer was elected president, Dr. A. C. Cummings, vice-president, Dr. Fred Stanwood, secretary, and Dr. H. W. Godfrey, treasurer.

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GREENE-HAMBLER

About 8 Saturday night, Mrs. Mary Keiser of 14 Parker avenue, Newton Centre, was hit by an auto driven by Edwin J. Burns of 431 Parker street. She was taken into the house at 441 Parker street, opposite which the accident happened, and treated by Dr. Thompson. Later she was removed to the Newton Hospital. She received a severe gash in the head. Burns stated that he had steered to one side to avoid hitting a boy, and as he did so, Mrs. Keiser stepped out into the street to avoid a puddle and got in front of his car.

The wedding of Mr. Ernest Roy Greene, the son of Mrs. Martha E. Greene of Newton Centre and Miss Marion Clark Hamblen, took place Monday noon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Hamblen in Lawrence. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Arthur Barber, pastor of Trinity Congregational Church, Lawrence, in the presence of the immediate families of the bride and bridegroom. Mrs. Greene is a graduate of Abbott Academy, with the class of 1915, and Wellesley College, with the class of 1919. Mr. Greene is a graduate of Harvard, class of 1901, and is now professor of romance languages at Dartmouth College, Hanover, N. H., where the bridal couple will reside, following a short wedding journey.

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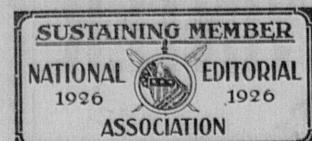
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EDITORIALS

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The action of the Superior court in maintaining the rights of the city to grant or refuse to grant permits for the sale of gasoline is just plain common sense.

NEWTON HOSPITAL

Patients in hospital, 99; patients paying as much as cost of care or more, 45; patients paying less than cost of care, 29; free patients including babies, 25; babies born, 9; patients treated by out patient department, 135; patients treated at eye clinic, 8; accident cases, 13; operating cases, 32; social service calls, 13; patients transferred by social service car, 16.

On Monday night, January 23, the Newton Hospital Staff held its regular monthly meeting. Dr. Frank Stubbs, the medical physician in charge at the present time—and Dr. Henry Waters, the surgeon in charge, directed the meeting.

On Tuesday, January 25, the trustees held their quarterly meeting.

During the week the hospital was visited by Miss Asta Erpestad, R. N., Supt. of nurses at the Rhode Island Hospital, Providence, R. I.

CAMP REUNIONS

The annual reunions of Camps Wyandot and Winnebago took place Saturday noon at the Hotel Brunswick, Boston, with a most enjoyable program for the 200 boys and 100 girls who attended. Among those present from Newton were Alice Chapin, Elizabeth Chapin, Virginia Dyson, Eleanor Jack, Mary Jordan, Katherine Lake, Elizabeth Perry, Eleanor Schirmer, Minot Guild, Charles B. Hills, Brandon Marsh, John R. Perry, Jr., Mr. Walter H. Sears, William Swett and Palmer York; from Auburndale, Ruth Chamberlain and Stearns Smalley; from Waban, Julie Stevenson, Robert and William Stevenson, also Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stevenson.

WHO FOUND THE BUTTER?

David Katz, a driver for Armour & Company, reported to the police Tuesday that he had lost a 65 pound tub of butter off his truck on Washington street, Newtonville. Katz would like to know who took the butter.

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UNDER THE GILDED DOME

Samoan Native Still Believes in Old Oath

Committee hearings are coming along thick and fast and what is most unusual, they are being called promptly on time.

Possibly the most important matter heard this week was the bill to provide for a circumferential highway around the city of Boston, part of which has already been constructed. Mr. Henry I. Harriman of this city, chairman of the division of Metropolitan planning, was the principal speaker and advocated an appropriation of \$1,650,000 to proceed with the work.

Mr. Harriman explained that on park ways it has been customary for the highway fund to provide one-half the cost, and the other half to be assessed against the Metropolitan District. If an arterial highway, in the present bill, is forced into Boston, adding to its present traffic problems.

The most important section, he felt, is that through the Lynn Woods reservation to connect with the Newbury port turnpike. A second strip is from the Lynn Falls parkway to connect with the turnpike.

Newton is also directly interested in this matter as the so-called Hammond Pond Parkway is a part of the general plan.

Mr. Harriman was also a speaker on the recommendation of the Planning division relative to the Boston Elevated. He outlined the way in which it is proposed to deal with the Boston Elevated, continuing the public control for forty or fifty years more and so adjusting the financing that at the end of that period the State may buy the property with a sinking fund that shall have been built up by savings on interest charges.

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While the old manner varied in the different villages the common rite was to take a bunch of grass and lay it on a stone or other object that represented the family or village god.

The contesting parties would say with hand resting on the grass, "In the presence of this whole assembly, I lay my hand on the grass. If I have declared falsely may I suddenly die."

It often happened that one making a false oath would be seized with superstitious fear that would overcome him or cause him to confess.

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Among the invited guests who spoke were Past Nat. S. V. Com. Wetherbee, S. V. Com. Boyd and J. V. Com. Stoddard of Post 69, G. A. R. and Com. Rossiter of East Boston Post, G. A. R. E. A. Caulfield, S. V. Com. of J. Wiley Edmonds Camp 31, S. of W. V. of the Civil War. Mr. Walker Kerr sang and a social hour followed.

Refreshments were served. Gifts were presented to Mrs. Phinney and also to Miss Cahill.

BOWDOIN SQ. THEATRE

Another all-feature program which combines high grade picture features and selected vaudeville will hold forth at the Bowdoin Sq. theatre beginning Monday. The William Fox offering for the entire week will be, "Summer Bachelors." It is a daring story of adventure which is typical of the modern youth.

Another picture feature will be James Oliver Curwood's, "The Flaming Forest." Mack Sennett will offer the comedy, "Smith's Visitor" and the Pathé News, together with five vaudeville specialties will round out the bill.

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Newtonville

—Mrs. William B. Phelps of Walnut street has returned from a week's stay in Albany, N. Y.

—The Central Club will hold a Winter Carnival day, tomorrow, if the weather is favorable.

—Next Sunday evening at the M. E. Church the service will be in charge of the Dover Street Mission.

—Mrs. Robert Chapman, Jr., of Beaumont avenue, is registered at the Alcazar, St. Augustine, Florida.

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—Miss Lavinia Smythe of Newtonville avenue, entertained the members of the Sewing Club last Monday evening.

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—Advertisement.

—Mrs. Mary A. Grant, widow of the late Benjamin S. Grant died last Saturday, at the Newton Hospital, aged 84 years.

—Mr. John Stanley of London, was the guest over the week-end of his Aunt, Mrs. Kenneth Hastings of Wall street.

—Mrs. William P. Eaves and daughter, Miss Dorothy Eaves of Lowell avenue are spending the winter in Hamilton, Bermuda.

—The Annual Luncheon of the Newton Mothers' Club will take place on February 7th at the Newton Centre Women's Club.

—At the recent annual meeting of the Boston Life Underwriters' Association, Mr. George H. Tracy was elected a member of the executive committee.

—Representative Leverett Saltonstall of Chestnut Hill has purchased the Lee estate of 85 acres in Dover, Mass., for a summer residence.

—The Bible School of the First Church will hold a valentine shower next Sunday, the valentines to be sent to the Cotton Valley Colored School in Alabama.

—Mr. Louis J. Marie, who has been with John T. Burns and Sons, Inc., at the Chestnut Hill office, has been appointed as manager of their Wellesley Hills office, at 298 Washington street in the new Burns Block.

—At the annual meeting of the New England Baptist Library, this week, Prof. Woodman Bradbury was re-elected president; Rev. W. Y. Cloues, secretary, and Prof. John M. English a member of the executive committee.

—Prof. O. W. Warmingham of Boston University will preach in Trinity Church next Sunday morning, January 30, at 10:45. His subject will be "Discoveries in the Inner Life." The rector, Dr. Sullivan, will preach in the evening at 7:15, on "The Moral Danger of Fatigue."

—On February 6 at 4:00 P. M. the second Vesper Service will be held in the Unitarian Church. The choir of the church will render a special musical program and the speaker will be Dr. Archibald Davidson of Harvard University. His subject will be, "The Relationship Between Music and Worship." Dr. Davidson's work at Appleton Chapel and at the Harvard Glee Club has made him one of the outstanding musical leaders in this country.

—At the Unitarian Church on next Sunday, January 30, the preacher will be Reverend Frank C. Doan of Winchester, Mass. His spiritual insight and vision and his ability to put the same in persuasive speech and writing have made him a most helpful teacher and leader in the denomination. For the present, being engaged in literary work, his pulpit appearances have not been frequent. It is our good fortune that he has consented to come to us. We believe that a very large and hospitable congregation will welcome the opportunity to hear him.

Newton Centre

—Miss Addie Fitch of Parker street last Saturday for Washington.

—On Jan. 22 Miss Barbara Ann Bailey of Warren street celebrated her 10th birthday.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Fitch of Summer street returned last week from a trip to Porto Rico.

—On Monday Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Fulton left for the West Indies, where they will spend several weeks.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Bosson of the Ledges road are leaving soon for the Pacific Coast and Honolulu.

—Master Cushman Clapp and his sister, Miss Barbara Clapp of Langley road, spent the week end at Marblehead.

—At the annual meeting of the Congregational Union Mr. Charles E. Kelsey was elected treasurer and director.

—Mr. Foster Cousins of Langley road has returned to business after a tonsil operation at the Homeopathic Hospital.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Lowell are registered at the Phil Hotel, St. Petersburg, Florida, for the rest of the season.

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—Mrs. Arthur B. Taylor of Walnut street is entertaining at dinner before the dance at the Newton Club this evening in honor of her granddaughter, Miss Naida Panin.

—At the annual meeting this week of the Congregational Club of Boston, Rev. Dr. Brewer Eddy was elected a vice-president and Mr. Charles W. Davidson a member of the reception committee.

—Mr. Clarence G. McDavitt, '00, is a member of the committee of arrangements for the annual dinner of the Dartmouth Alumni of Greater Boston, to be held tomorrow night at the Copley Plaza.

—Tonight another of the assemblies will be the direction of Mr. Joseph Champagne, will be given at the Newton Club. These assemblies are for the younger set and are among the social events of the season.

—At the recent annual meeting of the church school of the Methodist Church, these officers were elected, Supt. William H. Timble; Secretary, H. E. Du Puy, with J. S. Olcott and Ruth Calder as assistants.

—The Central Guild of Central Church has elected these officers, President, Mildred F. Davis; Vice-President, Mrs. Arline C. Budgett; Secretary, Mabel Bergonzoni; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Lilian F. Jordan; Treasurer, Miss Ethel Rose.

—Mr. and Mrs. George B. H. Macomber, who have been spending a few days in New York, left Wednesday for the West Coast of Florida where they will spend the balance of the winter, returning about April 1st for a short stay at Pinehurst on the way home.

—The second in a series of Vesper services and organ recitals will be given next Sunday afternoon at the New Church. Rev. William L. Worcester will speak on Marriage and Divorce and the church organist, Mr. R. Lawrence Capon, assisted by Anton Kovar, violinist, will have charge of the musical features.

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—The Woman's Association of Central Church will hold their all-day sewing meeting on Wednesday, February 2. Luncheon at 12:30 P. M. The speaker will be Dr. Ellis. Subject: "Extension Boards, or Progress in the Home Fields." New and old members will be cordially welcomed.

—Henry T. Scott, a salesman, living at 507 Lowell avenue, was badly injured Monday night when an automobile struck him as he was crossing Cambridge street, Allston. The car was driven by Arthur Fisher of Royal street, Allston. Mr. Scott was removed to St. Elizabeth's Hospital, where it was found that he had a fractured skull. His name was put on the dangerous list.

—There will be an entertainment in the parish house of the Church of the New Jerusalem on the evening of February 4th at 8 o'clock. It will be given by the Community Quartette, a group of well known professionals, colored, who will present a very interesting program, which will include negro spirituals and readings. The proceeds to go for the benefit of the North Cambridge Community Church, where the Rev. Samuel O. Weers is so untried in his efforts to teach and help the young people in the neighborhood, and is in need of adequate buildings. They have already secured the land.

Newton Upper Falls

Waban

—Mrs. H. N. Matthews has returned from a week's visit to New York.

—Mr. Clifford H. Walker, who has been ill with erysipelas has recovered.

—Mrs. Henry C. Robbins has as guests this week her mother and sister.

—Miss Jessie Gould of Beacon street was this week's hostess of the Monday Club.

—Mr. L. A. Marr of Ashmont road, was host to the Duplicate Whist Club last Saturday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Piser have gone to Shushan, New York to attend the funeral of Mr. Piser's father.

—Mrs. Wellington Rindge has the sympathy of her many friends in the painful illness she has been experiencing.

—Mrs. Philip L. Warren went to New York over last week end to attend a reunion of the college society, Sigma Theta.

—A new Bowling Tournament for the women of Waban will be held February 1. Matches will be rolled on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons.

—Mr. H. S. Kimball has returned from Augusta, Maine, where for the past seven months he has been engaged as a pulp and paper making engineer.

—The L. A. Marr's of Ashmont road have been spending the past week on a business and pleasure trip.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones have moved into their recently completed home on Locke road. Mr. Jones is New England manager of the Standard Oil Company.

—Mr. Earle E. Conway of Windsor road has gone abroad on a short business trip. During his absence, Mrs. Conway will visit her mother in St. Petersburg, Florida.

—Mrs. J. E. Parker opened her home on Metacomet road Thursday afternoon so that Waban women might hear Mrs. Trueworthy White give a resume of the recently held Radcliffe School of Politics.

—At the Neighborhood Club House on Saturday evening the members will enjoy their first "Bowling Dinner" after which prizes will be awarded to the winners in the recently completed tournaments.

—Lieutenant and Mrs. Homer Ambrose, who have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. David A. Ambrose on Ridge road left this week for Coco Solo, Canal Zone, where Lieut. Ambrose has been assigned to duty at the U. S. Submarine Base.

—Mr. Donald M. Hill of Pine Ridge road gave a dinner on January 19 to leading members of the Bowling Teams of the Newton League. Later in the evening at the Neighborhood Club House, Mr. Hill and Mr. R. O. Ainslie won the bowloff.

—The people of this community are invited on Sunday evening at 6:30 P. M. to attend the meeting of the Young People's Forum where Rev. J. Klingsberg Birge, who was a professor in the International College at Smyrna from 1914 to 1926 will speak on the situation abroad. This meeting will be held at the Church of the Good Shepherd.

—At the annual meeting of the Newton Upper Falls Community Centre, the members will enjoy their first "Bowling Dinner" after which prizes will be awarded to the winners in the recently completed tournaments.

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—Miss Agnes B. Hastings is in Bermuda for the winter season.

—Mr. Frank Lucas is attending the Northeastern Lumber Dealers' Convention this week at Syracuse, N. Y.

—Mrs. Ralph E. Hatch and Miss Marguerite Hatch of Prince street, are at the Alcazar, St. Augustine, Florida.

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—Mr. Louis Fabian Bachrach and Miss Jeanne DeL. Bachrach are spending ten days at the Lake Placid Club.

—Rev. Dr. T. Hayes Proctor of Wellesley College will preach next Sunday morning at the Second Church.

—The annual meeting of the West Newton Memorial Library Association will be held Wednesday afternoon in the Unitarian parish house.

—Mr. Frederic L. Felton and friend, Mr. E. P. Courtwright of East Orange, N. J., have gone to Los Angeles, Cal., and Honolulu for the winter.

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DEATH OF MRS. WIGGIN

Mrs. Belle Freeman, wife of Mr. Arthur H. Wiggin, passed away at her home, 62 Bourne St., Auburndale, Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 18th, after a number of years of poor health. She had been resident of Auburndale for forty years. Mrs. Wiggin in past years was a great worker in the Congregational Church. She was a member of many organizations—Boyston Lodge, Odd Ladies, West Newton; Newton Ladies' Home Circle, New England Order Protection; Council No. 10, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, Natick; Ex-Councilors Assn., Sons and Daughters of Liberty, Worcester; Grand Lodge of Mass. I. O. G. T., Good Templars; Veteran Assn., Good Templars Women's Aux. and Good Temperance. The funeral was held at her late home on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Frederick B. Richards, D. D., acting pastor of the Congregational Church officiated. Miss Sladen of Newtonville sang, "Isle of Somewhere and When the Mist Rolls Away." Away.

The body rested in a bed of flowers, pieces from the different organizations, neighbors, and friends, a beautiful wreath of red carnations and large spray of sweet peas, from the Cambridge Court, where her husband is clerk. She is survived by her husband, one son, Walter Wiggin, and two grandsons living in Florida, a granddaughter, Mildred Wiggin, whom she had brought up from an infant, also a brother living in Florida. The remains were taken to Natick for interment.

KIDS KOSTUME KARNIVAL

A most unique and jolly party of grown-up children was held last Tuesday night at the Newton Club. All who attended were in costumes of their younger days and were indeed children, at least for a night.

Prizes were given and were won by Mrs. Stark as Huckleberry Finn and by Mr. Nevins who was dressed as a baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. William Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Gilman and Mr. and Mrs. Olen Doty were the committee in charge.

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K. B. B. TO PRESENT PLAY

On Feb. 18th, at 8 o'clock, K. B. B. will present a three act play entitled "The Head Cheese", at St. John's Parish House, Newtonville.

NEWTON CENTRE SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

In spite of the extreme cold, a large audience attended the sixth annual Fathers' Night of the Newton Centre School Association, which was held Wednesday evening in the Mason School Hall. Mrs. Harold Giddings, the Vice-President, presided and gave an outline of the year's work. Mr. Samuel B. Paul, principal of the school, welcomed the guests. There was music by the Newton Highlands String Orchestra and Miss Margaret Slattery was the speaker. Miss Slattery's subject was "Tomorrow Looks at Its Ancestors."

She took for her text the story of a small boy who, upon looking at portraits of his ancestors, suddenly realized that he too might become an ancestor and that he must so conduct himself that he might be worthy. She said in part that parents should so conduct their lives and so train their children that they might learn to appreciate the best in music, art, and the drama, and that they be taught to become good parents and ancestors.

RECTOR ENGAGED

Announcement is made of the engagement of Rev. John Shapleigh Moses, rector of the Church of the Redeemer at Chestnut Hill and Miss Annette McCartney, of Washington, D. C.

Mr. Moses was born in Philadelphia and is the son of Very Rev. John Robert Moses, late dean of the Long Island Cathedral at Garden City. He is a graduate of St. Paul's School, Concord, N. H., and of the Episcopal Theological School at Cambridge.

In court Friday Leonard McGrath of Newtonville was found not guilty on the charge of driving at an excessive rate of speed; the charge preferred by Patrolman John Green. Witness for McGrath contradicted Green's testimony. Testimony was also introduced to show that Green had an argument with McGrath, previous to the complaint of speeding, over an automobile battery.



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Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. Percival M. Wood, rector of the Church of the Messiah, officiating and the burial was in the Newton Cemetery.

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ton. Announcements of such classes are prone to make women wish they had a dozen establishments to furnish! Classes will meet Tuesday mornings, beginning February 1st, and all who are interested are asked to apply to Mrs. S. G. Enyard, C. N. 2196-W.

The children will be rejoiced to be reminded of their Story Hour on January 31st at 3:45 o'clock, when Mrs. Cronan will entertain them again.

And the older children are looking forward to the night of nights—the Rainbow Revue—which is offered to them, not for one such evening, but for three, February 3rd, 4th, and 5th! Cabaret-style tables, with refreshments; dancing, music (which means Haaffermehl's orchestral!); special dances which mean beloved Sylvia Riley, and the Stuarts, Miss Lorraine Liggett, Miss Mildred MacDonald, and Miss Agnes Hartridge, a solo dance by Miss Dorothy Barton, called delightfully "Moonbeam Fantasy"; and titles that are most appealing to the imagination, of songs and dances, such as "The Ballet of the Pansies," "Salted Peanuts" (in fact and in fancy, we imagine, on these evenings!) "The Land of Lace"; and the allure of drama in one-act play, "The Chaperon," by Helen Willard Howard, president of the Professional Woman's Club; certainly are a list of pleasures planned to beckon most successfully.

Community Service Club of West Newton

February 2nd is the altruistic meeting of the year for the Community Service Club of West Newton, when members will meet to have the joy of service in sewing for community needs. Miss Elizabeth Ross, superintendent of the District Nursing Association, will speak briefly at 2:30 P. M. on "Some Community Needs of Newton Children," and at 3:30 Miss Ethel Leginska will tell about her orchestra. The Sewing Meeting will be held from 10:30 to 4:30 o'clock in the Parish House of the Congregational Church, and like all things that have a fine ideal, have the double blessing of giving pleasure to those who give it, for a Box Lunch will be enjoyed, in a real party, with hot drinks, and ice cream served at noon.

The Memorial Library Association, which might be called a Club within a Club, since it is composed of the members of the Community Service Club, will hold a meeting at 2 o'clock on the same day as the Sewing Meeting, also in the Parish House of the Congregational Church. Attention of members is especially called to the place of meeting.

On February 4th, Friday, at 10:30 o'clock, in the Parish House of the Unitarian Church, Mrs. Claude U. Gilson will give another of her interesting Current Events talks to members. These "latest" flashes of news are always welcomed by eager listeners who wish to keep abreast of swiftly-moving events with the minimum amount of time spent in that pursuit of knowledge of the busy world one lives in.

Social Science Club

The regular monthly business meeting of the Social Science Club takes place Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock at the Hunnewell Club parlor. After this routine, which is not the dull affair the word would indicate in our Club life, Mrs. Harry W. Fitts, chairman of the Education Committee, will present Miss Jean V. Latimer, a research assistant in the work of child welfare and guidance in the Newton schools, working under the auspices of the University of Michigan, who will talk on this interesting branch of work. It will be educational, truly, to have the facts and methods of these new branches of individual aid and development made clear, and it will be fascinating as well, as are all paths of knowledge.

Auburndale Woman's Club

The regular meeting of the Auburndale Woman's Club will be at the Auburndale Club on Thursday afternoon, February 3rd, at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Helen Talboy, staff speaker for the Massachusetts Branch of the League of Nations Non-Partisan Association, will draw from her wide experiences as a newspaper woman in telling "An Adventure in Intelligence." Mrs. Dana Kendall, a Club member, will sing a group of songs. The program of the day is in charge of the Legislative Committee, Mrs. John Brown, Jr., chairman. The American Home Committee, Mrs. Arthur Furbish, chairman, continues the very worthwhile service on Club afternoons of supervised play for children, from three to ten years old, at the Burr School. This gives many mothers opportunity to enjoy a free afternoon while the children are profiting by competent supervision.

Shakespeare Club of Newton Highlands

Saturday, February 5th, sees the completion of "The Taming of the Shrew."—Alas! Poor Katherine!—which has been enjoyed for several meetings by the Shakespeare Club of Newton Highlands. Review of Act V, and the Quiz will be in charge of Mrs. W. B. Blakemore, who may be expected to give many a puzzling query to members, who will be "put to it" to match her keen wits. Mrs. W. J. Bicknell, of 84 Erie Avenue, will be hostess for this meeting at 2:30 o'clock.

State Federation

PRIZE NEWS STORY. Newton has many talented writers among the press chairmen; in fact, there are as many talented ones, as there are chairmen, and consequently there is no reason why the honor of winning the prizes announced by State and General Federations should not come to our city. Miss A. Gwendoline Albee, State Chairman of Press, will be

glad to answer all inquiries, if ambitious ones will address her at 30 Stockton street, Dorchester, and this is what she says:

The Department of Press and Publicity calls attention to the prize news story contest which closes the first of April, the prizes to be announced at the annual meeting of the Federation at Swampscott. (Think of the pleasure of hearing your name that glad day!) Any Federated Club woman is eligible to enter the contest unless she is in the regular employ of a newspaper. The story must concern some club activity of the present year, need not be published first in a newspaper, and must not be over a thousand words in length, preferably much shorter. Miss Albee offers the following topics as among the possible subjects for the stories: how club houses are acquired and financed; recreational, social, civic, and charitable work carried on by a club in a community, how it is done and how financed; public works of all sorts, such as hospital beds, work among high school or college students, forestry plans, or other work for the benefit of the general public; all junior club activities; ways of raising money to pay off mortgages, or for other purposes; scholarships; special sales, bazaars, pageants, plays, and entertainments of special note; special club programs featuring local talent; important conferences; radio work; club bulletins; gifts to and from a club; and important work of any club member. The three best stories will be awarded first prize of ten dollars, and five dollars each for the second and third prizes. The Course in Journalism prepared by the department is proving a help in writing these stories, and a new supply is now being printed which will be shortly ready for distribution.

Another story contest is announced, that of the General Federation for which fifty dollars is the prize. This story must be an advance story of not over 700 and not less than 300 words and must be first published in a newspaper, this clipped, and submitted together with a statement from the club president verifying the writer's membership in the club and the originality of the story. No newspaper woman may enter this contest which closes May 10 and all stories must be sent to the Press Department Headquarters at Washington.

Midwinter Meeting at Quincy

In order that Club women who wish to attend this meeting may order luncheon tickets before February 19th, an idea of what this meeting promises is announced at this time. Speakers will include Governor Alvan T. Fuller, Lieutenant-Governor Frank G. Allen, Hon. Thomas J. McGrath, Mayor of Quincy, and officials of the General and State Federations of Women's Clubs. The meeting will be held in the high school building at Quincy February 24th, with morning and afternoon sessions.

The morning session will open at 10 o'clock with the singing of "America the Beautiful," the salute to the flag, and invocation. Mayor McGrath will then bring greetings of Quincy, followed by Mrs. Henry Faxon, president of the Quincy Woman's Club, the hostess Club for the meetings. Gov. Fuller will bring the greetings of the Commonwealth, after which Mrs. Arthur Devens Potter, president of the State Federation, will respond to the greetings. Routine business will then be in order followed by a talk on "Glimpses of the General Federation January Board Meeting" presented by Mrs. Frederick Glazier Smith, Massachusetts director in the General Federation. The morning session will close with the presentation of legislative measures by Mrs. John H. Kimball, State chairman of the Department of Legislation.

Elaborate plans for the luncheon are now under way, reservations for this part of the program to be obtained from Mrs. Charles Homer, 76 President's Lane, Quincy, not later than February 19th.

A musical program will open the afternoon meeting at 1:45 P. M., followed by greetings from Mrs. J. Herbert Libby, director of the second district. Presentation of new Clubs joining the Federation will be followed by a report on the "Cause and Cure of War" conference recently attended by Mrs. A. Packard, second vice-president of the State Federation. Mrs. Packard will be followed by Mrs. Grace Morrison Poole, recording secretary of the General Federation of Women's Club, whose message is quaintly and attractively titled "Before and After Taking." After a period of community singing the address of the afternoon will be given by Lieutenant-Governor Allen on "Some of the Problems Confronting the Commonwealth at the Present Time." Mrs. Edwin L. Pride, chairman of the Resolutions Committee, will report on any resolutions, and final routine business will close the session.

Dates of Next Meetings and Activities

January 31 Waban Woman's Club
January 31 C. L. S. C. of Newton Highlands MEETING OMITTED
January 31 Newton Centre Woman's Club—Children's Story Hour
February 1 Newton Centre Woman's Club
February 1 Newton Highland's Woman's Club
February 2 Community Service Club of West Newton
February 2 Social Science Club
February 3 Auburndale Woman's Club
February 3, 4, 5 Rainbow Revue—Newton Centre Woman's Club
February 5 Shakespeare Club of Newton Highlands
February 7 Newton Upper Falls Woman's Club
February 8 Auburndale Review Club
February 10 Newton Community Club
February 11 West Newton Women's Educational Club

February 13 Waban Woman's Club Supper for Young People's Forum
February 14 Christian Era Study Club
February 14 Monday Club of Newton Highlands
February 16 Newton Federation, Mid-winter Meeting.

NEWTON BLUE BOOK

The Blue Book of Newton is a Newton Institution but the Blue Books of Brookline, Cambridge, Winchester, Wellesley and Weston and The Cape Cod and South Shore are also published in Newton by Horace F. Jones. The Blue Book of Newton is not a directory of Newton but it has a selected list of names of individuals and families revised each year or two with names of new comers. Last year there were listed about 10,000 names and addresses. The present coming issue of the Newton Blue Book is the fourth by Horace F. Jones. The canvass for new book is about completed. Newton Highlands, Auburndale and other sections the names have been secured with the last month. There are many details taking much time, labor and expense attached to compiling the Blue Book. Thousands of questionnaires are sent out and a gratifying response has been made to them. Sufficient patronage has to be obtained to make the book a paying venture. This fact is lost sight of by many that in compiling a book of this sort thousands of persons have to be interviewed. The ads must be obtained to help out on the expense. Mr. Jones will issue his book in due time and he asks that those who have paid their \$3.50 (regular price \$4.00) will await the coming of the book which will be issued a little later than usual as the Blue Book does not support a large force of canvassers but the usual force of employees have been steadily at work. There is an urgent need of the book and publishing other books besides Newton, namely The Cambridge Blue Book (now in press) and the Winchester just issued. Newton has to take its turn. This is the 4th issue since 1921, so the publisher has been quite active and it is about the 40th edition of the book. Mr. Jones is receiving some letters inquiring as to exact time of issue of Newton Book, and hence this advertisement.

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Mrs. J. W. F. Kennedy (Barbara Bradford) is the lecturer and the series is on "Modern Drama and Dramatists."

The famous Spanish play-

wright, Jacinto Benavente, is the dra-

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plays holding the New York and Bos-

ton stage will also be given.

W. C. T. U.

The Newton Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet with Mrs. Samuel L. Eaton, 340 Lake Avenue, Newton Highlands, on Thursday, February 3, at 2:30 P. M.

The recently formed Junior Group W. C. T. U. will be present. Mrs. Ritchie H. Stevens, superintendent, will take charge of the exercises of the afternoon. Junior Group No. 1 will present the "Childhood of Frances Willard." Junior Group No. 2 will give "How Frances Willard entered her Life's Work." The program also includes a duet by the Misses Eugenia and Katherine Martin, violin solo by Master Albert G. Sweetser, solo by Mrs. Ruth Weeks, and reading by Mrs. Virginia Weed. The Junior Group, W. C. T. U. includes the Misses Jean Carver, Eunice Robertson, Lois Pope, Florence Green, Ethel Sanderson, Lois Woodworth, Elizabeth Drowne, Alice Thompson, Janet Clark, Elizabeth Kolb, Pianist: Miss Ruth Simpson.

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At the meeting of the Directors im-

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of its motto, "Religion is the Opium of Civilization." He argued that when religion is taken out of society, when children are forbidden religious training, when people are taught that there is no GOD, morals vanish and crime becomes rampant. He asserted that immorality and thievery have followed the renunciation of GOD by the Bolsheviks, but that the country people of Russia are increasing in religious fervor as a result of the religious persecution practiced by the Soviet Government.

Professor Tulpa is optimistic regarding Russia's future. He feels that a race that had enough virility to overthrow the Mongol hordes after centuries of strife, will conquer the present rulers of their country, and that CHRIST will again prevail there. He believes that Russia and the United States, the two largest countries in the world, will work hand-in-hand for the advancement of civilization in the future, with CHRIST standing behind them. The doctrine of isolation, as preached by Monroe, is obsolete, in the opinion of Professor Tulpa. Modern transportation and communication facilities have so changed things, that no longer can one nation hold aloof from other nations. All are now interdependent. It behoves Americans, therefore, in the mind of Professor Tulpa, to take cognizance of affairs in Russia, and to assist in its delivery from Bolsheviks.

Following Professor Tulpa's address, William E. Chenevry, M. D., professor at Tufts College, told of a trip he took last year to Russia. He detailed the difficulties of obtaining passports from the Soviet Government, and of the microscopic examination of the baggage belonging to travellers entering Russia. Each person going into that country is limited to a small amount of clothing and other property. His entrance was made possible by a written invitation from Mme. Kaminiy, to lecture on a medical subject before a society of physicians at Moscow. This invitation followed an application made by Dr. Chenevry for admission to Russia.

Telling of his trip he mentioned the veneration shown to Lenin's memory by the Bolshevik adherents in Russia. Lenin's remains were carefully embalmed and he displayed in state at Moscow. Throngs gathered constantly to view them. Ryan testified that he was at the Castagnino house on the night of the arrest to test a heater he was repairing at that place. He denied that he had driven his car in a zig-zag manner, that he had staggered or had been drinking. He asserted he had never taken a drink of hard liquor in his life and had quaffed but six glasses of beer during his career. He also stated he had never been in court before. He testified that 45 minutes after he had been locked in a cell at police headquarters, he was brought out into the corridor and made walk up and down to show whether or not he was steady on his feet. Ten minutes later he was released on bail and permitted to drive his car. He then entered another automobile, proceeded to the office of Dr. Putnam, and was examined by the physician to prove he was not drunk. Dr. Putnam testified that Ryan was not drunk when he examined him a couple of hours after his arrest. Questioned by Judge Bacon, Dr. Putnam would not give an opinion as to whether or not Ryan had been under the influence of liquor two hours earlier. Thomas McCarthy and Jack Kinsella of West Newton, testified they had accompanied Ryan to Dr. Putnam's house and that he was sober. Asked by Chief Burke, "You have no kind feeling for Officer Gaquin?" Kinsella very frankly replied "that he didn't have much use for any member of the Newton police force."

Police Green testified that Ryan was taking him home when arrested, and was perfectly sober. He asserted Ryan had drank no wine at Castagnino's house. Asked by Chief Burke "Why he was at Castagnino's on that night?" Green answered, "I was there on police business." Chief Burke asked Green who had given him orders to go to the house. Green claimed he had received instructions from Sergeant Mahoney to go there. Attorney Mellen called a number of policemen, who were present at headquarters the night of Ryan's arrest, to the witness stand, to prove that the defendant was sober when arrested. One of these witnesses, Officer Goddard, proved a boomerang to the defense. He testified "that Ryan had told him while in the cell at police headquarters that the bottle of wine had been presented to him." This refuted the defendant's testimony "that he did not know the liquor was in the automobile." Ryan's testimony "that he had never been in court" was shattered when it was shown he had been in the Waltham court on a serious charge.

Castagnino was also called as a witness for the defense. He asserted that Ryan had drank no liquor the night of the arrest and came to his house to receive payment for work done on the heater. Questioned by Chief Burke, Castagnino denied he had threatened to have Sergeant Veduuccio and Officer Gaquin transferred from West Newton to Nonantum. He also denied having made the remark that the number he had received for his automobile plates, (550,700) was a H— of a number to give a boot-legger.

Judge Bacon found Ryan guilty of driving while under the influence of liquor, and fined him \$100. An appeal was taken. The judge found him not guilty on the charge of drunkenness. He also found him guilty of illegal transportation of liquor but placed this case on file.

THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS

On Saturday evening Mrs. A. C. Walworth and Miss Walworth are inviting neighborhood friends to hear Mrs. Helen Talboy speak of affairs in Geneva.

Last summer Mrs. Talboy flew 300 miles over the Vistula River from Danzig to Warsaw, and also crossed Czechoslovakia besides visiting England, France, Poland, and Switzerland. Her range of information about Europe is extensive and she will speak on the subject—"The League of Nations, an Adventure in Intelligence."

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—Mrs. Arthur Hudson of Washington street, is recovering from her recent attack of bronchitis.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tolman of Hunnewell hill, left this week for a visit at Almonte Springs, Fla.

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—The Women's Association of Eliot Church was entertained on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. H. Powers, 82 Church street. Miss Carolyn D. Smiley of Satara, India, was the speaker of the afternoon, and her subject was "Indian Women of the Twentieth Century." Miss Smiley was dressed in the native costume and wore the jewelry of the high class India women. Her talk was most fascinating and interesting. Mrs. C. H. Patton and Miss Grace Weston presided over the tea cups and they were assisted in serving by Mrs. C. B. Gleason, Mrs. George Angier and Mrs. George Webster.



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"CANDIDA" AT AUBURNDALE

The first of the dramatic productions of the Auburndale Club Players was presented to Club members and friends on Monday and Wednesday evenings of this week in the Auditorium of the Club House. Bernard Shaw's "Candida," noted for its artistic merit, was the play selected for the initial performance, and with the exception of the part of Mr. Burgess, which was admirably acted by Mr. E. Irving Locke of the West Newton Players, all parts were taken by Club Players' members. The difficult character of Marchbanks was splendidly handled by Herbert C. Mayer, and Candida in the person of Mrs. Helen Shaw was most skillfully portrayed. Rev. Morell and Rev. Mill by Bradley Hill and Charles W. Wood showed a keen insight into the characters of these gentlemen. The interpretation of the difficult Miss Garnett by Mrs. Edith S. Gilpatrick was above criticism, and the entire performance reflected the careful and thorough direction of Ernest Law Johnson.

When the selection of a play for the first appearance of the Players was announced, much doubt was expressed as to whether or not so ambitious an undertaking could be handled successfully. The result well justified the confidence which the Dramatic committee of the Players hold in Mr. Johnson. The business management under Henry L. Goodman, and the stage in charge of Fred Stearns, were well handled.

The next play will be given early in March, the exact date to be announced later.

Angier School

Doris Bauckman, of the 8th grade, won the silver cup at Big Brothers' Spelling Match, Station WEEI, on Jan. 13, 1927. She also received a box of candy sent in by Lovel & Covel for the match.

Miss Sears' third grade has started a Thrift Club. Junior Buttrick is its president. In two weeks the children have saved \$22.22.

The Angier Hockey team was defeated by the Burr School in a slow game Tuesday afternoon. Both teams had a good passing game, but could not use it because of poor ice.

Several letters of appreciation for the gifts sent out from the Christmas Assembly have been received.

The Senior Hockey team lost a hard-fought game to the Hyde School, 5-4. Captain Mason made some wonderful stops and deserves credit for keeping the score down. The Junior team defeated the Mason Junior team 4-0. The boys on both teams played well.

Plans are under way for a series of girls' basketball and hockey games with the Mason and Bigelow Schools.

The playground is a good skating rink. The boys of the lower grades have cleared a large section. A crowd is out after school making use of the ice.

A drive to lower tardy marks is under way. The pupils are being urged to be in their seats at 8:25 and 1:25.

The teachers of the Angier, Clafin, and Emerson Schools were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cobb of Richardson road, Newton Upper Falls, on Monday evening, January 24th. Dinner was served at 6:30 and the fifty guests sat at little tables placed in different rooms. Miss Mabel C. Bragg was among the guests, also Mr. Griffin, the music supervisor, who sang during the evening. Miss Julia Tobin of the Clafin School also sang.

Mr. Cobb gave a delightful talk on his impressions of schools in England and Ireland which he visited last summer.

The teachers have long known the Cobb through their delightful books which are used extensively in the Newton Schools. So it was a great pleasure to meet them socially and to enjoy what was voted by all to be a real "Cobb Evening."

Eleanor Dunham of the Safety Council gave a talk on "Falling Icicles" in the 8th grade room.

A play, "What's the Idea—Safety" was presented a week ago Wednesday in the Assembly Hall at 3:30 by the Safety Council. The parts were taken by Robert White, Margaret Creamer, Betty Bierer, David McClellan, and Turner Soule.

The assembly last Wednesday was in charge of Miss Sears' third grade. Two short talks on Benjamin Franklin were given by Eleanor Ainsley and Nancy Durbin.

A play, teaching the value of thrift, was presented. The parts were taken by Virginia Hardy, William Croker, Barbara Forbes, Prescott Wellman, Hugh Estes, Sally Roe, and Orville Forte.

The assembly this week was in charge of the 7th grade, Mrs. O'Connor's room. Five girls gave the dramatization of "The Little Patriot" and held the interest of their audience every minute.

Between the two acts Barbara Hall played a piano solo, "The Voices of Spring."

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



REV. E. L. SHAVER

The Norumbega District School of Religious Education opened last Monday evening at the Newtonville Methodist Church, for its second term of ten weeks, Jan. 24 to March 28, with an encouraging attendance of nearly one hundred.

The classes on Project Teaching, with Mr. E. L. Shaver, and on Church History, with Professor Booth, proved the most popular, both of these being new subjects for the school.

Some of the topics to be covered in Professor Booth's course in Church History are, St. Augustine and the Development of Catholic Theology, St. Francis of Assisi, Martin Luther and the Reformation, John Calvin, Ignatius Loyola, and John Wesley.

Professor Berkeley in opening the school said in part, "We are here in part for personal enrichment; all of the classes should prove to you periods of spiritual growth, as you gain new insight and glimpse new phases of truth. But we are here more because we would serve the pupil. In these days youth is experimenting with more freedom and more money than in former times. There are more forces, some of them commercialized amusements that are bidding for the time of children and young people. All these conditions open up more temptations, so that the type of help given through the Church School must be a more skillful type than ever given in the past, that we may build up ideals and ideals that shall help our pupils to make right choices."

AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS

Despite the fact that few street intersections in this city have less obstructed views than the corners of Chestnut street and Commonwealth avenue, another bad automobile accident occurred there Wednesday. A Ford truck owned by Krenkus Bros., Roxbury and operated by John F. Sweet of Waltham, collided with a big Sanford truck driven by Raymond Riley damaged and Sweet was slightly injured. Both trucks were badly injured.

Tuesday morning at 8:30, cars driven by Alice Cunningham of 330 Lexington street, Auburndale, and Emanuel Kahan of Mattapan, collided at the corner of Beacon and Woodward streets. Both cars were damaged. Kahan received cuts on the hands, and Mrs. Cunningham complained of a wrenched back.

Tuesday evening at 5, a Ford truck driven by Frances Leary of Somerville and a large truck owned by Butters' Express and driven by Jeffrey Jardine of 456 Watertown street, Newtonville, collided at the corner of Centre and Cabot streets. Leary received an injury to his right leg, and William Farrell of Roxbury, who was riding with him, was slightly injured on the right arm.

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The annual dinner and meeting of the Immanuel Baptist church of Newton was held on January 20th. Most encouraging reports were received from the various church organizations. The speaker of the evening was Rev. Dr. Samuel M. Lindsay of Brookline. These officers were elected:

Treasurer, Chester W. McCaul; Clerk, Clarence V. Moore; Deacons for six years, Walter C. Wrye; Advisory Committee besides Deacons and other officers ex officio, Chester L. Colton, J. Wm. Blaisdell, Miss Clara C. Porter and Miss Helen Achorn; Religious Education Committee, Mrs. L. H. Naylor, Mrs. N. A. Merritt, Miss Margaret Morton, Miss Elizabeth Eden, Mr. R. F. Thompson, Mr. Geo. H. Wilmarth, Supt. of Bible School, F. L. Trask.

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of John Garvin

late of Newton in said County, deceased,
intestate.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Michael Muleney of Wellesley in the County of Norfolk or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, held at Cambridge in the County of Middlesex, on the twenty-first day of February, A. D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic,